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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE IN CHEMISTRY/POLYMER CHEMISTRY 6B17CHE/PCH-A: Environmental Chemistry

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

SECTION - A

Very short answer type. Each question carries 1 mark. Answer all 4 questions.

 $(4 \times 1 = 4)$

- 1. Mention the segments of the environment.
- 2. Define Pollution and Pollutant.
- 3. How can we remove the temporary hardness of water?
- 4. What is solid waste?

SECTION - B

Short answer type. Each question carries 2 marks. Answer 7 questions out of 10. (7×2=14)

- Explain in detail about hydrological cycle.
- 6. Explain green house effect.
- 7. Discuss any one air pollution control measure.
- 8. What is BOD? Explain its significance.
- 9. What is meant by dumping of solid waste?

11. Name some methods of solid waste disposal.

- 10. What are the different types of E-waste?
- 12. What are the advantages of composting?

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- Define noise and noise pollution.
- 14. List the types of radiations from radioactive substances.

SECTION - C

Short essay/problem type. Each question carries 3 marks. Answer 4 questions out of 6. (4×3=12)

- Write an account on the toxic effect and treatment of Pb and As.
- 16. Write note on alternate refrigerants.
- Explain acid rain and its effects.
- 18. Discuss the different sources of water pollution.
- 19. Explain in detail (i) biomagnification and (ii) bioaccumulation.
- Discuss the effects of noise pollution in humans.

SECTION - D

Long essay type. **Each** question carries **5** marks. Answer **2** questions out of 4.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

- 21. What are the sources of air pollution and how can we reduce it?
- How the quality of drinking water is assessed? Define any three water quality parameters.
- 23. What is meant by E-waste? Explain the effect of E-waste on human health and E-waste management.
- Explain the radioactive pollution with reference to their source, effect and control
 measures.