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Sub.: Intellectual Property Rights (LW-505/9005)

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Instructions: 1) All questions are compulsory.
2) Figure indicate to the right full marks.

Q. 1. Answer the following question. (15)

A) Compare the roles of WIPO, WTO, and TRIPS in the protection and enforcement of IPRs

OR

B) Who are treated as Performers? What special rights have been granted to them and what is their duration?

Q. 2. Answer the following question. (15)

A) What are patentable and non-patentable inventions? Provide examples.

OR

B) Copyright is a 'bundle of rights'. Describe various rights enjoyed by an owner of copyright.

Q. 3. Write Short Notes. (any four) (20)

- a) TM, SM, and ® symbols
- b) Passing off action
- c) Piracy of registered designs
- d) Explain:Novartis Case
- e) Assignment of copyright
- f) Geographical Indications registration

Q. 4. Answer the following questions. (10)

A) A company registered a trademark for a logo but did not renew it. Another company started using a similar logo. Can the first company reclaim its rights? Discuss.

OR

B) A company obtained a patent for a new type of battery but did not commercialize it for five years. A competitor claims that the patent should be revoked due to non-use. Can the patent be revoked under the Indian Patent Act, 1970? What are the legal provisions for non-use of a patent?