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DM-745 Environmental Social Governance

Time - 3 Hour **Maximum Marks: 50 (Minimum Marks: 20)**

Part A

(Maximum Marks: 5)

Q1. Choose the correct option for the following (1 mark each):

(a). AD 20270 is very crucial for attaining

(i) Net zero
(ii) Zero waste
(iii) Zero discharge
(iv) Zero carbon footprint

(b). Pollution index score 60 and above is categorised as

(i) Orange category
(ii) White category
(iii) Green category
(iv) Red category

(c). PM PRANAM programme is aimed to promote

(i) Alternate fertilizer
(ii) Alternate energy
(iii) Alternate healthcare
(iv) Alternate carbon credit

(d). MISHTI programme is aimed to promote

(i) Tiger conservation
(ii) Biodiversity conservation
(iii) Mangroves conservation
(iv) Conservation of near extinct fish species

(e). GOBARDHAN programme is aimed to promote

(i) Waste to wealth
(ii) Recycling of mineral scrape
(iii) Wastewater management
(iv) Fertilizer recycling

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Part B

(Maximum Marks: 15)

Q2. Write short notes on any three of the following with appropriate examples (Word Limit 750 per question) (5 mark each):

(a). ESMS
(b). Green and Renewable Energy
(c). Net Zero
(d). CSR vs ESG
(e). Process of Sustainability Audit

Part C

(Maximum Marks: 30)

Read the below mentioned case and answer <u>any two</u> of the following questions (Word Limit 15000 per question) (15 mark each).

One of the largest banks in the country, ICICI Bank is cognisant of protecting and nurturing the environment to ensure the sustenance of the future generations. The Bank has adopted a structured approach in building green workplaces, conserving energy and water and reducing the use of paper.

ICICI Foundation, the philanthropic arm of the Bank implements environment supportive projects in the areas of tree plantation, sustainable forests, watershed management, rainwater harvesting and renewable energy.

The Bank's ESG philosophy is to adopt sustainable business practices that ensures the long-term success of the organisation and at the same time have a positive impact on the environment and the society.

The Bank's ESG policy is approved by the Board of Directors and the Risk Committee of the Board comprising of five directors has complete oversight of this Policy. The Bank has a Steering Committee under the Risk Committee of the Board to closely monitor progress on ESG initiatives.

Highlights of their ESG activities as per their Annual Report for the year 22-23:

Water Saving	11 billion litres
Water Harvesting Potential created	17.1 billion litres
Green Energy Certification -	For a little over one third area
Developed a Framework for Sustainable Financing –	Outstanding as on 31st March 2023 – 556 billion
Bank's Data Privacy Practices	above Industry's benchmark.
Dedicated ESG Team for ESG initiatives	

Q3. Identify the ESG initiatives of ICICI bank and compare the target and achievements with respect to global standard with critical comments.

Q4. Discuss in brief the role corporate governance in ESG management with suitable illustration.

Q5. Compare the strong environmental, social, and governance (ESG) proposition and the links to value creation with suitable illustration.

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