

**GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY
GANDHINAGAR**

**Course: Society and Sustainable Development
Semester-IV (Batch: 2018-23)**

End Semester Online Examination: February 2021

Date: 10th February, 2021

Duration: 8 hours

Max. Marks: 50

Instructions:

- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answer.
- No questions or clarification can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.
- Prescribe Word Limit: (10 Marks: 400 words), (8 Marks: 300 words)

	Marks
Q.1 Indigenous people have become synonymous with a sense of powerlessness, marginalization, and a kind of social insecurity. The basic rights are curtailed, the land is alienated and their habitats are encroached by the ever increasing demands of the development of the state or nation. A general tendency towards these people globally has been - that they are either to be conquered or converted to the dominant belief of advanced society. Given the situation of Indigenous people, critically evaluate, what is the impact of seven decades Government attention on the rights of indigenous people in India? Substantiate your answer with the examples.	(10)
Q.2 What are the two key environmental legislation and the key regulatory authorities? To what extent, do these regulators enforce environmental requirements? Illustrate your answer with case laws.	(10)
Q.3 Compare and contrast the precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle with suitable examples.	(8)
Q.4 What are the strengths and weaknesses of different sustainable approaches? Which approach should Indian society adopt?	(8)
Q.5 Critically evaluate the key changes in the Environment Impact Assessment Notification 2020.	(8)
Q.6 Write short note on: a) Stockholm Conference (1972) b) Citizenship (Amendment) Act, 2019	(3x2=6)
