EXTENDED LECTURE OUTLINE

GPB6 312 **Intellectual Property Rights** **(1+0)**

Sl. No.	Lectures
1.	Introduction and meaning of intellectual property: Definition, benefits & types & of intellectual property rights protection.
2.	Brief introduction to GATT, WTO: Initiation & objectives.
3.	Brief introduction to TRIPs and WIPO: Definition, Initiation & objectives.
4.	International Treaties for IPR protection : Initiation & Types of IPR connected with Berne Convention and Paris convention. Madrid Protocol & Budaspest treaty.
5.	Types of intellectual Property and legislations/Ministry covering IPR in India.
6.	Patents - Patents Act 1970: Patentable and Non-patentable substance and Patent system in India.
7.	Important Criteria for patentability, process and product patent.
8.	Steps in filling of patent, patent specification, patent claims, Patent opposition and revocation, infringement, compulsory licensing, Patent Cooperation Treaty.Patent Search and Patent database.
9.	Copyrights: Definition, Term of Copyright, Copyrightable matter/material.
10.	Geographical indications Definition & Benefits, Term of Geographical Indications, Examples of Geographical Indications.
11.	Trade secrets : Definition & Benefits, matter of Trade Secrets, Term of Trade Secrets.
12.	Origin and history including a brief introduction to UPOV for protection of plant varieties : Criteria for plant Protection under UPOV.
13.	Protection of plant varieties under UPOV and PPV & FR Act 2001 of India, Plant breeder's rights, researcher and farmers rights.
14.	Registration of plant varieties under PPV&FR Act 2001
15.	Traditional knowledge-meaning and rights of TK holders : Definition & Benefits of protection of TK.
16.	Convention on Biological Diversity : Initiation & objectives
17.	Indian Biological Diversity Act, 2002 and its salient features access and Benefit Sharing.
18.	International treaty on plant genetic resources for food and agriculture (ITPGRFA)

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