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**P.G. Diploma in Intellectual Property Rights**  
**Annual Examination-2010**  
**Paper No: PGDIPR-104**  
**Patents and unfair competition**

**Time: 2:30 hours**

**Maximum Marks: 70**

(Write your roll number at the top immediately on receipt of this question paper)

**This paper is divided into three sections. Attempt questions from each section as per the instructions.**

**Section-I**

**Q.1 Attempt all the very short type questions given below. Each question carries one mark.**

**10x1=10**

- a) Define patent.
- b) Name the three patentable features of an innovation.
- c) What is Trade Secret Protection?
- d) Give two examples of unfair competition.
- e) Name two causes of unfair competition.
- f) What is the concept of misleading?
- g) What is comparative advertising?
- h) What is an Invention under International Patent system?
- i) When did the process of patenting start?
- j) How is an Inventive Step recognized?

**Section-II**

**Q.2 Attempt any six questions. Answer briefly. All the questions carry equal marks.**

**6X5 = 30**

- 1. Discuss the scope of patenting.
- 2. How is the industrial application determined?
- 3. What are the common exclusions under patent laws and TRIPS agreement?
- 4. How far is it possible to get worldwide patent?
- 5. List major categories of unfair competition.
- 6. List the recognized acts of unfair competition.
- 7. Explain the concept of discrediting.
- 8. How does the industrial design protection work?

### Section-III

**Q.3 Attempt any three questions in about 500 words. All the questions carry equal marks.**  
**3X10 = 30**

1. Describe the procedures followed when a patent application is filed nationally, regionally or via PCT.
2. Discuss the advantages of taking out a patent.
3. Enumerate the exclusive rights conferred by a patent.
4. What are the inventions involved in patenting of Micro-implantable pump?
5. What does the Trade Secret Protection protect?