Paper IV

	L.B.: Semester-X DSE 9 TUAL PROPERTY LAWS II
Teaching Scheme	Examination Scheme
Lectures: 4hrs/Week	Class Test -12 Marks
Tutorials: 1 hr/Week	Teachers Assessment - 6 Marks
Credits: 5	Attendance - 12 Marks
	End Semester Exam - 70 marks

CO Number	CO Statement
CO1	Explain the basic principles of patent law, including the requirements for patentability, the scope of patent protection, and the rights granted to patent holders.
CO2	Contrast between patent law and other areas of intellectual property, such as copyright and trademark law
CO3	Apply patent law to specific situations, such as the patenting of software, biotechnology, and business methods
CO4	Infer the impact of international patent law and treaties, such as the Patent Cooperation Treaty and the TRIPS Agreement
CO5	Analyse the challenges and controversies surrounding patent law, such as patent trolls, patent thickets, and the BCLance between incentivizing innovation and promoting access to essential medicines and technologies
CO6	Understand the legal procedures for filing and registering a patent, including the preparation and submission of a patent application and the review process by the patent office.

Unit I:

The Patents Act, 1970

Introduction, Aims, Objective, Features & Principles, Inventions (Sec.2j) Invention not patentable (Sec.3 to 5), Application (Sec.6 to 8), Specification (Sec.9 to 10), Opposition (Sec.25), Grant & Sealing of Patent (Sec.43), Conditions for grant of patent (Sec.47)Rights of Patents (Sec.47), Term of Patent (Sec.53). Patents of Addition (Sec.54 & 55), Surrender & Revocation (Sec. 63 to 66) Patents Office (Sec. 73 to 74 r.4(2),

UNIT II

Compulsory Licenses (Sec.84), License of right (Sec.86 to 88), Government use (Sec. 99), infringement (Sec.104 to 115), Patent Agents (Sec.125 to 132), International Arrangements (Sec.133 to 139), Paris convention, 1999 Amendment Act, 17 of 1999, Sec.5 amended, Exclusive Marketing Right (Sec.24A-24F).

UNIT III: Emerging Frontiers of I.P.R. Regime

Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights Act, 2001: Aims and Objects, Farmers Rights,

Compulsory Licence, Registration, Infringement and Remedies.

UNIT IV

Biological Diversity Act, 2002: An Overview, Salient features of the Act, 2002-Brief Introduction.

- 1. Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights Act, 2001
- 2. Biological Diversity Act, 2002
- 3. The Trade Marks Act, 1999
- 4. Geographical Indication of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 1999
- 1. Prof.A.K.Avasthi (ed.) Spotlight on Intellectual Property Rights, 2005
- 2. Nagarajun, Intellectual Property
- 3. Menu Paul, Intellectual Property

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