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UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM AND ENERGY STUDIES End Semester Examination, December 2023			
Course: Right to Information Act Program: B.Tech LLB Course Code: CLNL3009P		Semester: IX Time : 03 hrs. Max. Marks: 100	
Instructions:			
SECTION A (5Qx2M=10Marks)			
S. No.		Marks	CO
Q 1	Right to Information Act came into force in.....	2	CO1
Q 2	Whether RTI applies to The Atomic Energy Act, 1912?	2	CO1
Q 3	Define CIC and SIC.	2	CO1
Q 4	In how many days appeal can be filed by the aggrieved party before CPIO?	2	CO1
Q 5	What protection is given for action taken in good faith under RTI?	2	CO1
SECTION B (4Qx5M= 20 Marks)			
Q 1	Write a note on the primary goals of RTI Act.	5	CO2
Q 2	Explain the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966 with regard to RTI.	5	CO2
Q 3	Explain the process of request for third party information.	5	CO2
Q 4	Explain powers and functions of information commissions under RTI Act.	5	CO2
SECTION-C (2Qx10M=20 Marks)			
Q 1	Right to information and right to privacy are two different right or complementary to each other, evaluate both the rights with the help of case laws in light of Indian Constitution.	10	CO3
Q 2	Critically analyse the principles laid down by UN for freedom to information in context of RTI Act.	10	CO3
SECTION-D (2Qx25M=50 Marks)			

Q 1	<p><i>A statutory right to information would be in many ways the most significant reform in public administration in India in the last 75 years. This would secure for every citizen the enforceable right to question, examine, audit, review and assess government acts and decisions, to ensure that these are consistent with the principles of public interest, probity and justice. It would promote openness, transparency and accountability in administration, by making government more open to continuing public scrutiny.</i></p> <p>In the light of above statement critically analyze that how far the objectives set out by the RTI Act have been fulfilled and also cite judicial pronouncements to support your answer.</p>	25	CO4
Q 2	<p>You are supposed to file an application under RTI Act before the traffic police department, seeking information with regard to revenue generated through traffic challan cases and its disposal in the capital of Uttarakhand state.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Before which authority you will file the application and why? 2. Elaborate the steps involved for filing the application. 3. Frame 10 questions which can be asked on the subject matter given. 4. Critically explain the process, if authorities fail to provide you the information. 	5+10+5+5= 25	CO4