POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN ENVIRONMENTAL AND OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH (PGDEOH) Term-End Examination December, 2024

MEVE-003: AGRICULTURE AND ALLIED SECTOR

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer the questions as per the instructions given in each Section.

Section—A

Note : Answer any *four* questions. All questions carry equal marks. 10×4=40

- 1. What is desertification? Give the causes of desertification. 5+5
- 2. List and describe the major sources of green house gas emission from livestock sector. 10

- Enlist the sources of aquaculture pollution and describe the occupational hazards in aquaculture.
- 4. Explain the role of botanicals in sustainable agriculture with suitable examples.
- 5. Explain the role of farm yard manure and green manure in improving soil fertility.10
- 6. Describe the symptoms and strategies to control food-borne illness.

Section—B

Note : Answer any *four* questions. All questions carry equal marks. 15×4=60

- 7. Write short notes on the following: $7\frac{1}{2}+7\frac{1}{2}=15$
 - (i) Concept and demand of traceability
 - (ii) Livestock management practices
- Give a detailed account of disease transmission between humans and animals with suitable examples.

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- Describe environmental and occupational health hazards caused by modern agricultural practices.
- 10. Describe conservation tillage, its subtype,advantages and limitations.15
- 11. Explain biological pest control and biofertilizersin detail.15
- 12. Describe organic farming and its benefits for improving environmental and occupational health.