18BT751

Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2025 **BT for Sustainable Environment**

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

1	a.	Discuss in detail drinking water quality and consumption standards.	(10 Marks)
	b	Explain the different indicators require for measuring water quality	(10 Marks)

OR

2	a.	Explain physical and chemical characteristics of waste water.	(10 Marks)
	b.	Discuss in detail the Biotechnological approach for water purification.	(10 Marks)

Module-2

- Discuss in detail the process involved in secondary waste water treatment. (10 Marks)
 - Discuss the different process and instruments for sludge treatment and its disposal.

(10 Marks)

OR

- a. Explain the mechanism of reverse osmosis and ion exchange methods in treatment of waste water. (08 Marks)
 - Give a detailed note on treatment method involved in treating waste water discharged by leather and food processing industries. (12 Marks)

Explain the general properties of primary air pollutants. (08 Marks)

b. Discuss the air sampling based on particulate pollutants and gaseous pollutants. (12 Marks)

OR

- a. Discuss the different method involved in control of noise pollution. (10 Marks)
 - b. Explain the effect of noise pollution on human health.

(10 Marks)

Module-4

- With suitable example, explain renewable non-renewable energy resources. (08 Marks)
 - b. Write the biotechnological inputs in producing good quality natural fibres.

(12 Marks)

OR

- Explain energy recovery systems from urban waste. (10 Marks)
 - Write the method for producing methanol from organic waste.

(10 Marks)

Module-5

- Write the characteristics and properties of solid waste. (10 Marks)
 - b. Discuss solid waste management through biotechnological processes.

(10 Marks)

Discuss the process involved in biomedical waste management. 10

(10 Marks)

Explain the process involved reuse of materials and energy recovery from solid waste.

(10 Marks)

2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8=50, will be treated as malpractice. Important Note: 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.