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LL.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024

Second Semester

Branch III—Maritime Law

LW030204—LEGAL CONTROL OF MARINE POLLUTION

(2023 Admissions—Regular/2022 Admissions—Supplementary)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Answer any **five** questions.*

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the evolution of international law for regulating marine pollution. How has UNCLOS III contributed to protecting the marine environment ?
2. Analyze the various sources of marine pollution and their relative impacts. What challenges exist in addressing pollution from different sources ?
3. Evaluate the effectiveness of international legal frameworks in preventing and mitigating pollution from seabed exploration and mineral extraction activities.
4. Examine the legal issues surrounding marine pollution caused by nuclear weapons testing in the high seas. How has international law developed to address this concern ?
5. Critically assess the global ship recycling industry's environmental impact and the legal measures to promote safe recycling practices.
6. Compare and contrast the London Convention and the London Protocol. How have they shaped international efforts to control marine pollution from dumping ?

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7. Analyze the Global Programme of Action (GPA) for addressing land-based sources of marine pollution. What are its strengths and limitations ?
8. Discuss the role of the International Maritime Organization in combating vessel-source pollution. Evaluate the effectiveness of critical conventions like MARPOL.

(5 × 14 = 70)

