## PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS)

## **MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2018**

(First Semester)

## Branch - **ZOOLOGY**

## **ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY**

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 75 Marks

Answer ALL questions
ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks  $(5 \times 15 = 75)$ 

- 1 a Explain the 'Energy Flow' in a typical Ecosystem.
  - b Explain the Community succession with suitable examples.
- 2 a Discuss in detail on the factors affecting population growth.
  - b Give an account on sedimentary nutrient cycle.
- 3 a Discuss the adaptations of animals found in coastal ecosystem.

OR

- b Give an account on the renewable energy resources.
- 4 a Write an essay on Rain water harvesting.

OR

- b Give a detailed account on Germplasm conservation.
- 5 a Explain the different Environmental hazards of Air Pollution.

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b Discuss the role of Biological indicators in environmental monitoring.

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