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- Q-6** **Attempt all questions** (14)
- A) Narrate the Bhopal Gas Tragedy. (7)
- B) Write in detail about the mineral resources, its uses and exploitation, its environmental effects of extracting and using mineral resources. (7)
- Q-7** **Attempt all questions** (14)
- A) What are the threats to biodiversity in view of habitat loss and man-wild life conflict? Enlist the endangered and endemic species of India. (7)
- B) What is noise pollution? How is it measured? Describe the effects of noise pollution on human. (7)
- Q-8** **Attempt all questions** (14)
- A) Differentiate renewable and non-renewable energy resources and discuss the effect of overpopulation on energy problems. (7)
- B) What do you understand by 'Hot Spot of Biodiversity'? Name and briefly describe the two hotspots of biodiversity that extend into India. (7)

