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A Few Minutes Series

Subject - Polity

Date - 03rd April 2023

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Compulsory Licensing

- This concept of compulsory licensing has been given in the **chapter XVI of the Indian Patents Act, 1970**.
- This concept is recognised at both national as well as international levels, with express mention in both (Indian) Patent Act, 1970 and TRIPS Agreement
- As per **Section 84 (IP Act 1970)**, any **person**, regardless of whether he is the holder of the license of that Patent, can make a request to the Controller for grant of compulsory license on **expiry of three years**, when any of the following conditions is fulfilled -
 - The **reasonable requirements of the public** with respect to the patented invention have not been satisfied
 - The patented invention is **not available to the public at a reasonably affordable price**
 - The patented invention is **not worked in the territory of India**.
- Further, compulsory licenses **can also be issued suo motu by the Controller under section 92**, pursuant to a **notification issued by the Central Government** if there is either a "national emergency" or "extreme urgency" or in cases of "public non-commercial use".
 - Even after a compulsory license is granted to a third party, the **patent**

owner still has rights over the **patent**, including a right to be paid for copies of the products made under the compulsory license

Termination of Compulsory License

- The compulsory license granted under section 84 may be revoked by the **controller by an application filed by the patentee or by the beneficiary of the patent rights**, along with evidence proof that the **circumstance during which the compulsory license was granted have ceased to exist**.
- For example The license was **granted to Natco Pharma Ltd. for the drug Nexavar**, patented by M/S Bayer Corporation

