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Ancient Science of India 5: Scientific Insights in the Vedic Age Compendium Manusmritithat Demands Worldwide Pre-eminence – A Cumulative Review

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ABSTRACT The various impacts of Manusmriti, outstanding with social, cultural, administrative, judiciary and many more insights of the facts in the Indian way of lifestyle, became so complementary that one follows it conceptually, knowingly or unknowingly even to date. In addition to its glory, the epic is also resourced with many scientific facts like, the creation and dissolution of the universe, the geological time scale, ecological factors, the origin of life and expansion of biodiversity, ecological indicators, food chain of the nature and flow of energy, aspects of pollution, contamination and their prevention, maintenance of salubrity, ethics for conservation of biodiversity, basis of Varna division and its genetic relevance, conservation of genetic traits, proposing the basic principle of binomial nomenclature, ascertaining consciousness in plants, and a scientific basis for the classification of the plant and animal kingdoms including human beings as well as information about the Vedic plant Soma. The Smriti had primarily formulated the environmental laws to overcome problems of pollution, contamination and conservation of biodiversity.