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First Year

Common to All Branches RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

Attempt any Five questions All questions carry equal marks.

- Q1) Define Research and examine the recent trends in Legal Research.
- **Q2)** Examine the problems involved in identification and formulation of a Research problem.
- **Q3)** What do you mean by 'Hypothesis'? What is its significance?
- **Q4)** From what different sources data is taken in legal research?
- **Q5)** Write a note on 'random sampling'. What are its advantages?
- **Q6)** Discuss the utility and problems of mailed questionnaire.
- **Q7)** What is the meaning and significance of 'Research designs'?
- **Q8)** Discuss the importance of and problems in adopting interview method.
- **Q9)** Distinguish between 'Doctrinal' and 'Non doctrinal' research.
- Q10) Explain the fundamental difference between case study method and survey method.



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First Year

TORTS & CRIMES

General Theory and Principles of Tort Liability - I

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

<u>Answer any Five questions</u> <u>All questions carry equal marks.</u>

- **Q1)** Explain the difference between Tort and Crime.
- **Q2)** Explain the scope of the maxim "DAMNUM SINE INJURIA" referring to decided cases.
- Q3) With the help of decided cases explain the phrase "in the course of employment" in the context of vicarious liability.
- **Q4)** Referring to decided cases explain the defence of "volenti non fit injuria" or the defence or consent.
- **Q5)** In the context of Vicarious liability examine the difference between "servant" and "independent contractor".
- **Q6)** Explain the scope of the defence of "Act of God" in view of action fix Tort.
- **Q7)** Critically analyse the 'definition of Tort' as defined by WINFIELD.
- **Q8)** Referring to decided cases explain the scope of "Res Ipsa Loquitur" as a proof of negligence.
- **Q9)** Critically analyse the case of M.C. Mahta Vs Union of India (AIR, 1987, SC, 1086) where in the rule of absolute liability was expanded by the Supreme Court of India.
- Q10) Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - a) Non Natural use of land
 - b) Fraud of the Servant
 - c) Damage to the goods bailed to the market.
 - d) Breach of Duty



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First Year TORTS AND CRIMES

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

LAW OF CRIMES

Answer any Five questions

All questions carry equal marks.

- Q1) Critically examine the applicability of the Doctrine of Mens rea to the offences under Indian Penal code of 1860
- **Q2)** Discuss the scope of 'Insanity' as defence in Criminal law with illustrations.
- **Q3)** Explain the various theories of punishment. Which theory do you support? Why? Give reasons.
- **Q4)** Discuss the essential elements of the offence of Murder and state the exemptions if any.
- **Q5)** Examine the principle of group liability with the help of decided cases.
- **Q6)** Define Attempt? When attempt is punishable
- **Q7)** Explain the offences of Rape, Bigamy and Adultery
- **Q8)** What is meant by Wrongful Restraint and distinguish between Wrongful Restraint and Wrongful Confinement.
- **Q9)** What is Extortion? How does it differ from Robbery?
- Q10) Write short notes on any TWO of the following:
 - a) Intoxication.
 - b) Criminal Conspiracy.
 - c) Kidnapping.
 - d) Defamation



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First Year

JURISPRUDENCE (Common to All Branches)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

Answer any Five questions

All questions carry equal marks.

- Q1) What are the different sources of Law? Discuss in detail customs as source of law.
- **Q2)** Who are the proponents of Natural Law School? Explain their views and compare with 'positivism'.
- **Q3)** What is 'Modern Realism'? Discuss the views if American and Scandinavian Realism.
- **Q4)** Explain the Marxist theory of Law.
- **Q5)** What is a 'Right'? Critically analyze the characteristics and kinds of Legal Rights.
- **Q6)** Discuss the various kinds of 'Duties'. How does a Duty differs from a 'Sanction'?
- **Q7)** What are the factors necessary to fix liability under Criminal Law?
- **Q8)** Discuss the classes of wrongful acts, with the help of decided cases. Explain the rule of 'Damnum sine injuria'.
- **Q9)** With the help of landmark judgments explain the law of Negligence.

Q10) Answer any TWO of the following:

- b) Ratio decidendi
- b) Kinds of liability
- c) Mischief rule
- d) Mistake of law and mistake of fact.



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TORTS AND CRIMES

General Theory and Principles of Tort Liability - II

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

<u>Answer any Five questions</u> All questions carry equal marks.

- Q1) Analyse the essentials of the tort of "Nuisance".
- **Q2)** Explain the law relating to damages in the case of shortening of expectation of Life.
- **Q3)** Examine the essentials of the tort of "false Imprisonment".
- **Q4)** Critically analyse the essentials of the tort of "Defamation". What are the defenses available in an action for Defamation.
- **Q5)** What are the essentials of the tort of "Conversion"?
- **Q6)** Critically analyse the essentials, of the tort of "passing off"
- **Q7)** Examine the essentials of the tort of "Conspiracy".
- **Q8)** Explain the legal positions of "Innocent Misrepresentations".
- **Q9)** Analyse the Ingredients of "Trespass to Goods".
- Q10) Write short note, any two of the following:
 - e) Distress damage feasant.
 - f) Negligent Misstatements.
 - g) DETENUE.
 - h) Public Nuisance.



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TORTS & CRIMES

Criminal Procedure Code

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

Answer any Five questions

All questions carry equal marks.

- Q1) Discuss the provisions relating to trail before a Court of Session?
- **Q2)** Define charge. Discuss with case laws as to whether it is a mere formality? How a charge can be made for a case of criminal conspiracy?
- **Q3)** Can a court convert a summons case into a warrant case? State the circumstances under which the court can do the same.
- **Q4)** What are the various classes of Criminal Courts Constituted under Criminal Procedure Code? Explain the powers of the courts Pass sentences.
- **Q5)** Explain the judicial powers in the disposal of Appeals.
- **Q6)** What is F.I.R? Explain the procedure for recording F.I.R. and examine its evidentiary value.
- Q7) Explain the provisions of bail and anticipatory bail under Cr.P.C.
- **Q8)** What is the provision in the code of Criminal procedure for maintenance of wife, children and parents?
- **Q9)** Explain the term investigation. What are the various stages in investigation in the criminal proceedings.
- Q10) Write a short notes on any two:
 - c) Double jeopardy
 - b) Revision
 - c) Police diary
 - d) Station House Report

