

Reg. No. :

Name :

**Third Semester B.A. LL.B/B.Com. LL.B (Five Year Integrated) Degree
Examination, October 2021**

Paper IV — JURISPRUDENCE

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A

Answer any **five** of the following not exceeding **50** words each. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

1. Salmond on classification of law.
2. Bentham's concept of law.
3. Rawl's theory of justice.
4. Distributive justice.
5. Characteristics of 'legal right'.
6. Codification of law.
7. Deterrent theory of punishment.
8. *Ratio decidendi*

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

P.T.O.

PART – B

Answer any **four** of the following not exceeding **120** words each. Each question carries **4** marks.

1. Write short note on Hart – Fuller conflict.
2. What is feminist jurisprudence?
3. Explain the merits and demerits of administration of justice.
4. Explain different kinds of customs?
5. Write a brief note on interpretation of enacted law.
6. Give a brief description on the concept liability.

(4 × 4 = 16 Marks)

PART – C

Answer any **four** of the following. Each question carries **6** marks.

1. A provision in the Passport Act empowers the Passport Authority to impound passport without stating any reasons. Examine the validity of the provision.
2. Prosecution was initiated against a person, Who had seen a child drowning for not taking any action to save the child? Decide whether the action taken against that person is right?
3. Mr. A has been in possession of a lost goods for many years. Whether Mr. A has the right to sell that good?
4. There is an agreement entered into between A and B that A would not initiate any legal proceedings against B. Examine whether the agreement is valid or not?
5. Mr. X transfer is his landed property, the ownership is under challenge in a court of law, to Mr. Y. Examine whether Mr. Y's title is valid or not.

(4 × 6 = 24 Marks)

PART – D

Answer any **three** of the following. Each question carries **10** marks.

1. Critically examine Austinian concept of law.
2. Critically discuss Kelsen's theory on the hierarchy of norms. Why the theory is called the 'puretheory of law'?
3. Analyse precedent as a source of law.
4. "Ownership denotes the relation between a person and an object forming the subject matter of his ownership". Discuss. What are the different kinds of ownership?
5. What is 'obligation'? Explain the different sources of obligation.

(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)