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Third Semester LL.M. Degree Examination, March 2017 Branch: Constitutional Law Paper – IV: CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS IN THE CONSTITUTION

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 75

Instructions: 1) Answer all questions.

2) All questions carry equal marks.

 a) Trace out the salient differences between International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR) and the International covenant on Economic Social and Cultural Rights (ICESCR).

OR

- b) The Indian legal system has internalised the essence of UDHR and the 1966 covenants by incorporating them in our Constitution. Comment.
- II. a) Examine the protection provided under the Human Rights Act, 1993 for Civil and Political Rights.

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- b) Illustrate with latest case laws on the reasonableness of restrictions on the freedom of association and assemble with respect to trade unions.
- III. a) Examine the role of the Judiciary in protecting civil and political rights provided under the Indian Constitution.

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- b) Critically evaluate the role of the judiciary in giving new content to "right to life" under Article 21 of the Indian Constitution.
- IV. a) Examine the effectiveness of judicial remedies in the area of civil and political rights.

OR

- b) Right to judicial remedies vis-a-vis Public Interest Litigation. Comment.
- V. a) Examine the constitutional guarantee of civil and political rights and its reasonable restrictions.

OR

b) Give a brief account on International Conventions and Policies on Civil and Political Rights.