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**Sixth Semester B.A LL.B/ B.Com LL.B/ BBA LL.B (Five Year Integrated)  
Degree Examination, December 2020**

**PAPER IV – LAW OF EVIDENCE**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

**PART – I**

Answer **any five** questions. Each question carries **2** marks. Answer should not exceed 60 words.

1. (a) Irrebutable presumption
- (b) Retracted confession
- (c) Identification parade.
- (d) Distinguish between confession and admission.
- (e) Public document
- (f) Discovery under section 27 of Evidence Act.
- (g) Dying Declaration.

**(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)**

**PART – II**

Answer **any four** questions. Each question carries **4** marks. Answer should not exceed 120 words.

2. (a) State best evidence rule regarding documentary evidence.
- (b) 'Hearsay evidence is barred except in certain specified cases'. Explain.



- (c) Examine the concept of preponderance of probability.
- (d) Distinguish between primary and secondary evidence.
- (e) Substantiate corroboration of evidence

(4 × 4 = 16 Marks)

### PART – III

Answer **any four** questions. Each question carries **6** marks.

3. (a) A filed a case against B seeking declaration of title to a property. B denies the title of A and try to establish the title in himself. Can B prove a previous statement made by A to B to the effect that he had no title to the property?
- (b) A is the counsel of B accrued in a murder case. The prosecution feels that evidence of C is relevant to proof of offence against A. Can A be examined as witness?
- (c) A confesses to a crowd of people that he has committed murder of C. B, a policeman was present among them. Can A's confession be admitted?
- (d) A agrees in writing to sell his car to B for Rs 110,000 or 120,000. A wants to prove that 120,000 is the correct price. Can A do so?
- (e) Document D<sub>1</sub> is an agreement. Discuss the admissibility of D<sub>2</sub> which is its Photostat copy to prove the contents of D<sub>1</sub>.

(4 × 6 = 24 Marks)

### PART – IV

Answer **any three** questions. Each question carries **10** marks. Answer should not exceed 300 words.

4. (a) Define estoppel and different types of estoppels.
- (b) 'What is in writing shall be proved by writing itself'. Explain with reference to Exceptions.
- (c) Explain the doctrine of 'Res Gestae' with the help of case law.
- (d) Explain Admission. Discuss the rules regarding its admissibility.

(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)