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**Third Semester LL.M. Degree Examination, September 2023**

**Constitutional Law**

**Paper V : SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL RIGHTS IN THE  
CONSTITUTION**

**(2021 Admission)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

Answer all questions. All question carries equal marks.

1. (a) "Social, economic and cultural rights are the freedoms, privileges, and entitlements that individuals require to lead a dignified life" – Comment.

OR

- (b) "Different social, economic and cultural rights mentioned in part IV of the Indian Constitution has undergone several judicial interpretations in tune with international human rights law" - Discuss.

2. (a) Critically examine the scope of the right to primary and higher education in India.

OR

- (b) Trace the history and development of the public trust doctrine. Also, discuss the scope of public trust doctrine with the help of decided cases in India.

3. (a) "Directive principles of state policy are not justiciable however with the help of provisions in Part III it is justiciable" – Comment.

OR

- (b) "The Directive principles of state policy and Fundamental Rights are complementary to each other" – Discuss.
4. (a) Discuss the scope of fundamental duties. Also Explain, whether the enforcement of fundamental duties through comprehensive and well-defined laws are possible or not?

OR

- (b) Critically examine the role of the Indian Judiciary in the development of a well-defined compensatory jurisprudence.
5. (a) "Public interest litigation is a tool for the enforcement of various human rights with the help of directive principles of states policy" – Comment.

OR

- (b) Critically examine the role of the Indian Judiciary in the development of Justiciable socio-economic and cultural rights.

(5 × 12 = 60 Marks)

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