

2019

LAW

(Constitutional Law of India)

Paper No. 3:4

DIMAPUR LIBRARY
Hill View Colony
Dimapur : Nagaland

Full Marks : 100

Pass Marks : 40

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer question no. 1 and any five questions from the rest.

1. Write exhaustive notes on *any four* of the followings- 4x5
 - a) Doctrine of territorial nexus
 - b) Article 371 A
 - c) Curative petition
 - d) 10th Schedule
 - e) Judicial Review
 - f) Emergency provisions

2. Article 1 of the Constitution describes India as a Union of States rather than as a federation. Comment critically on the nature of Indian federalism, in the light of constitutional provisions and decided cases. 16

3. What conditions are to be fulfilled to become a citizen of India? How a citizen may be deprived of citizenship by an order of the Central Government? 16

(Please turn over)

4. Explain the relationship between fundamental rights and directive principles of state policy in the light of judicial decisions. 16
5. Explain the principles of equality as laid down under Article 14 of the Indian Constitution. 16
6. “No person shall be deprived of his life or personal liberty except according to procedure established by law”. Discuss with reference to decided cases. 16
7. Examine the limitations on the power of the parliament to amend the constitution under Article 368. Refer to decided cases. 16
8. Explain (*any two*): 2x8
- a) Can a person disqualified from being a member of a legislative assembly be appointed as a Chief Minister?
 - b) Jurisdictions of the Supreme Court of India
 - c) Can parliament impose a tax which is not specifically enumerated in the Seventh Schedule?
9. Write a note on the powers of the Prime Minister. Explain the constitutional relationship between the Prime Minister of India and the President of India. 16
10. State the facts and discuss the principles of law laid down in –

Kesavananda Bharti

vs

State of Kerala,

AIR 1973 SC 1461

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