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Family Law Paper – II

Paper No. 1:4

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 6 and any two questions from each GROUP

GROUP – A (MUSLIM LAWS)

1. Write short notes on *any three* of the following- **3x6**
- Schools of Muslim laws
 - Urf (custom) and its essentials
 - Essentials of muta marriage
 - Durations of iddat
 - Guardianship in marriage
2. Explain the following as primary sources of Muslim laws: **8+8**
- The traditions of sunnat and ahadis
 - Ijmaa and its kinds
3. What is option of puberty? Mention the conditions under which a Muslim is entitled to exercise the option to repudiate the marriage. Cite the relevant provision of law which empowers a woman married under Muslim law to exercise the option. **16**

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4. Discuss the following: **8+8**
- The rights and remedies which are available to a Muslim wife, or Muslim widow for non-payment of dower.
 - The modes of talaq (divorce) on the request of the wife, under the husband's delegated power and by mutual agreement.
5. Explain the conditions of a valid acknowledgement. What are the effects of acknowledgement? How does acknowledgement differ from adoption? **16**

GROUP – B (NAGA CUSTOMARY LAWS)

6. Discuss the following: **10+8**
- Scope, applicability and importance of Naga customary laws
 - Judicial machinery that administers and enforces Naga customary laws
7. Examine the customs in respect of inheritance practiced among the Naga tribes. Are Naga women entitled to shares in inheritance? **16**
8. Examine the authority of the customary village judicature in **10+6**
- Loans, debts, sales, mortgages, tenancy and wages
 - Settlement of disputes
9. Highlight the rules/principles relied upon in matters of: **8+8**
- Adoption in the Naga Society
 - Distribution of properties on divorce/demise of a party to the marriage
10. Write short notes on the following: **4x4**
- Formation of a Naga village
 - Institution of morung
 - Civil directives to the village council
 - Tatar council

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