

2011

**LAW**

**( Law of Crime )**

Course No. 5:4

*Full Marks : 100*

*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 short notes on any 4 (four) of the (5x4) followings:
  - a) Capital Punishment.
  - b) Grievous hurt.
  - c) Dowry death.
  - d) Abetment
  - e) Forgery.
  - f) Defamation.
  
2. Discuss different types of punishment as mentioned in the Penal Code. Also explain the provisions for (a) Sentence of death and (b) imprisonment for life (10+6)
  
3. What do you mean by General exceptions to offences? How far is insanity a defence in an offence? On whom does the burden of proving insanity lies? Refer to case law on this point. (6+4+6)

*(Please turn over)*

4. What is right of private defence? Why it has been permitted by law? Explain the law relating to right of private defence in respect of property indicating the limitations in its exercise. (6+10)
5. Discuss the provision with regarding to offences relating to state. (16)
6. What is culpable homicide? When does culpable homicide amount to murder and when does it not amount to murder? Illustrate your answer suitably. (6+10)
7. Explain criminal conspiracy. Explain whether criminal conspiracy is committed if- (6+5+5)
  - a) Husband and wife conspired to poison.
  - b) A natural person and the company (which is also a person) conspire to destroy official document.
8. Distinguish (any two): (8x2)
  - a) Rape and Adultery.
  - b) Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement.
  - c) Affray and Assault.
  - d) Theft and Extortion.
9. When can unsoundness of mind be pleaded as a defence under the Indian Penal Code. Refer to decided cases. (16)
10. Under what circumstances an act done in good faith for the benefit of a person without consent does not constitute an offence? Is there any exception to this rule under Indian penal code? Discuss with illustration. (8+8)

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