

2023

## LAW

( Women &amp; Criminal Law )

Paper No. 3:1

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 from the rest.*

1. Write short notes on *any four* of the following: 4x5
  - a) Maternity benefits
  - b) Equal remuneration
  - c) Family Courts
  - d) Gender Justice
  - e) Dowry death
  
2. Discuss the constitutional provisions regarding women relating right to equality. Cite case-law in support of your answer. 16
  
3. State the provisions made in the constitution for reservation of seats in panchayats and municipalities in favour of women and the steps taken for socio-economic empowerment of women of India in apex decision-making bodies. 16
  
4. Discuss the legal provision in Criminal Law and Labour Law for protection of women from harassment at the 'work place'. Do you think that the provisions are inadequate and counter productive? 16

*(Please turn over)*

5. Does the offence of "outraging the modesty of a woman" legally punishable. If so, to what extent? Cite important case-law in this regard. 16
6. Write an essay on equality of women with men labour in India. 16
7. Is medical termination of pregnancy is allowed under any law? If so, mention the main provisions of such Act? 16
8. Mention the establishment and constitution of family courts. 16
9. Do you think that the National Commission for women has played an effective and meaningful role? If not, suggest adequate measures. 16
10. Write the facts and principles of law laid down in –

*Vishal Jeet*

*vrs*

*Union of India*  
*(1990) 3 SCC 318*

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