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**LL.M. THIRD SEMESTER
MARCH - 2009
END TERM EXAMINATION
SUBJECT: COMPARATIVE CRIMINAL
PROCEDURE AND EVIDENCE
TIME DURATION: THREE HOURS
MAXIMUM MARKS: SIXTY (60)**

Note: The Question Paper consists of Three Sections - A, B and C.

Section (A)

- (1) Attempt **All Questions** from this **Section** . Each question carries **2 marks**

Write Short Notes on the following:

- (i) Presumption of Innocence
- (ii) Cognizable offences
- (iii) Charge
- (iv) Warrant Cases
- (v) Compounding of offences

- (vi) Anticipatory Bail
- (vii) Facts in Issue
- (viii) Meaning of Proved
- (ix) Accomplice
- (x) Refreshing memory by witness

Section (B)

- (2) Attempt any **One Question** from **each Unit** of this Section.
Each Question carries **4 marks**

Unit (I)

- (i) Discuss the objects and rationale of Criminal Procedure.
- (ii) Explain the circumstances in which a magistrate takes cognizance of a case.

Unit (II)

- (i) Write a note on ordinary place of trial. What are the exceptions to the general rule?
- (ii) Explain the contents of a Charge.

Unit (III)

- (i) Discuss the powers of the High Court in Revision.
- (ii) Discuss time-limitations for taking cognizance of Criminal Cases.

Unit (IV)

- (i) Distinguish between relevancy and admissibility of a matter as evidence.

- (ii) Explain the law on admissibility of confession in police custody.

Unit (V)

- (i) When a Witness can be declared hostile? What is the value of testimony of a hostile witness.
- (ii) What is Substantive and Corroborative Evidence?

Section (C)

- (3) Attempt any **Two Questions** from this **Section**. Each question carries **10 marks**.

Note:

- (i) Explain classes and powers of Criminal Courts.
- (ii) Discuss the procedure for trial before the Court of Sessions.
- (iii) Discuss the Law for appeal against acquittal. Refer to decided cases.
- (iv) Explain the burden of proof in Criminal cases, on both Prosecution and the Accused.

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END TERM EXAMINATION
SUBJECT: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION
AND FORENSIC SCIENCE
TIME DURATION: THREE HOURS
MAXIMUM MARKS: SIXTY (60)**

Note: The **Question Paper** consists of **Three Sections - A, B and C.**

Section (A)

- (1) Attempt **All Questions** from this **Section** . Each question carries **2 marks**

Write Short Notes on the following:

- (i) Meaning of investigation
- (ii) Third degree methods
- (iii) Investigation of non-cognizable offences
- (iv) Need for inspections of Crimes Scene
- (v) Forensic Medicine

- (vi) Forensic Geology
- (vii) Rugoscopy
- (viii) Forensic Psychology
- (ix) DNA finger printing
- (x) Truth Serum

Section (B)

- (2) Attempt any **One Question** from **each Unit** of this Section.
Each Question carries **4 marks**

Unit (I)

- (i) Write a note on objectives of investigation of Crime.
- (ii) Discuss the traditional tools of investigation.

Unit (II)

- (i) What do you understand by proceeding with the investigation?
- (ii) Discuss the significance of opinions and reports of the experts in a Criminal Trial.

Unit (III)

- (i) Explain role of forensic science in investigation of Crime.
- (ii) Discuss Forensic Ballistics as a technique of investigation of Crime.

Unit (IV)

- (i) What do you understand by Cyber Forensic? What is its present day relevance?

- (ii) How application of Computers and information technology has helped in investigation of Crime?

Unit (V)

- (i) What is Brain Finger Printing? Explain Procedure and application of this technique during questioning of the accused.
- (ii) Discuss the legal status of Nervo Analysis as an investigation technique.

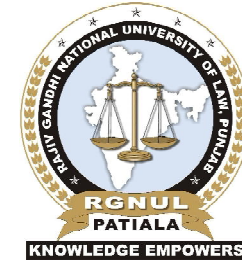
Section (C)

- (3) Attempt any **Two Questions** from this **Section**. Each question carries **10 marks**.

Note:

- (i) Discuss the major issues involved in the investigation process. What measures are required to bring in efficiency in investigation of Crime?
- (ii) Explain various forensic science techniques applied in investigation of Crime.
- (iii) Discuss the advantages of Computerised Techniques in forensic methods of Crime Investigation.
- (iv) Explain various techniques in DNA finger printing. What are limitations of these techniques?

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SUBJECT: PRINCIPLES OF CRIMINOLOGY
AND PENOLOGY
TIME DURATION: THREE HOURS
MAXIMUM MARKS: SIXTY (60)**

Note: The **Question Paper** consists of **Three Sections - A, B and C.**

Section (A)

- (1) Attempt **All Questions** from this **Section** . Each question carries **2 marks**

Write Short Notes on the following:

- (i) Pre-classical School of Criminology
- (ii) Socialist School of Criminology
- (iii) M' Naughton's rule
- (iv) Ecology of Crime
- (v) Juveniles in Conflict with law

- (vi) Female Criminality
- (vii) Life Imprisonment
- (viii) Minimum Mandatory Imprisonment
- (ix) Recidivism
- (x) 'Sun Set' legislation

Section (B)

- (2) Attempt any **One Question** from **each Unit** of this Section. Each Question carries **4 marks**

Unit (I)

- (i) Discuss Southerland's theory of 'Differential Association.'
- (ii) Write a note on inter-relation between Criminology, Penology and Victimology.

Unit (II)

- (i) Discuss Social dis-organisation as factor responsible for Crime in the Society.
- (ii) How do Economic Factors influence Crime Pattern?

Unit (III)

- (i) Why do you think that there is a need for differential treatment of Juvenils Offenders?
- (ii) Find out different causes of Juvenils delinquency.

Unit (IV)

- (i) Why there is judicial discretion in sentencing? Do you think there is a need for sentencing guidelines?

- (ii) As a Penologist would you suggest some alternatives to imprisonment and fine?

Unit (V)

- (i) Do you think there is a need for victim oriented Criminal Justice? Discuss with reference to present legislative positions.
- (ii) Are you in favour of decriminalisation in some areas of Criminality? Give your views by taking up suitable illustrations.

Section (C)

- (3) Attempt any **Two Questions** from this **Section**. Each question carries **10 marks**.

Note:

- (i) Critically examine various thoughts on Criminology at different stages of history.
- (ii) Explain different aspects of Crime causation theory.
- (iii) How would you reclassify Crime in the present day Crime Scenerio?
- (iv) What is the need for adopting Crime prevention measures? Explain measures for Crime Preventions.

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SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL
JUSTICE-CUSTODIAL AND NON-CUSTODIAL
TIME DURATION: THREE HOURS
MAXIMUM MARKS: SIXTY (60)**

Note: The **Question Paper** consists of **Three Sections - A, B and C.**

Section (A)

- (1) Attempt **All Questions** from this **Section** . Each question carries **2 marks**

Write Short Notes on the following:

- (i) Rigorous Imprisonment
- (ii) Commutation of Life Imprisonment
- (iii) Solitary Confinement
- (iv) Classification of Prisons
- (v) Prison Industries

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- (vi) Need for vocational training to prisoners
- (vii) After Care
- (viii) Open Prison
- (ix) Borstals
- (x) Juvenile Justice

Section (B)

- (2) Attempt **One Question** from **each Unit** of this Section.
Each Question carries **4 marks**

Unit (I)

- (i) Explain the procedure for execution of death sentence on pregnant woman.
- (ii) Explain meaning nature and tenure of life imprisonment.

Unit (II)

- (i) What is Solitary Imprisonment? Explain nature, duration and limits of Solitary Confinement.
- (ii) Write a note on problems in prisons.

Unit (III)

- (i) Discuss the constitutional concern for payment of minimum wages to prisoners.
- (ii) Explain the need for Panchayat System and Prisoners participation in management of prison.

Unit (IV)

- (i) What do you understand by probation of offender? Explain the origin and concept of probation systems.

- (ii) What is Parole? Explain the conditions for release on Parole.

Unit (V)

- (i) What are Open Prisons? Explain advantages of Open Prisons.
- (ii) Discuss the problems faced by woman prisoners.

Section (C)

- (3) Attempt **Two Questions** from this **Section**. Each question carries **10 marks**.

Note:

- (i) Discuss the constitutional validity of hanging as a mode of execution of death sentence.
- (ii) State classification of prisoners. Discuss views of Jail Reforms Committee on classification of prisoners.
- (iii) Discuss human rights of prisoners with reference to constitutional protections and judicial decisions.
- (iv) Discuss the different modes of treatment of Juvenile delinquents.