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**End Semester Examination – Nov / Dec – 2019**

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| **Code :** | **17CR2034** | **Duration :** | **3hrs** |
| **Sub. Name :** | **SPECIAL LAWS** | **Max. Marks :** | **100** |

**ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (5 x 20 = 100 Marks)**

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| **Q. No.** | **Sub Div.** | **Questions** | **Course**  **Outcome** | **Marks** |
| 1. |  | Define and list the various local laws and special laws existing in India and Tamil Nadu. | CO2 | 20 |
| **(OR)** | | | | |
| 2. | a. | Define the term “Atrocities” and explain the salient features of SC/ST Prevention of Atrocities Act 1989 in India. | CO4 | 10 |
| b. | The National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) states that in 2018, as many as 7,634 women died in the country due to dowry harassment. Explain the legal measures taken under the Dowry Prohibition Act to reduce dowry harassment in India. | CO1 | 10 |
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| 3. | a. | Explain the procedure in relation to conflict with law and in relation to children in need of care and protection. | CO1 | 10 |
| b. | Can an order against a juvenile be passed in the court without the matter coming before the Juvenile board? What is the procedure laid down in the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) act? | CO1 | 10 |
| **(OR)** | | | | |
| 4. |  | Describe the offence and punishment under The Protection of Civil Rights Act, 1955 regarding:   1. Enforcing religious disabilities 2. Social disabilities 3. Refusing to admit persons in hospital 4. Refusing to sell goods or render services. | CO4 | 20 |
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| 5. | a. | Summarize the legal measures provided by Government of India, in pursuance of the International Convention signed at New York on the 9th day of May, 1950, for the prevention of immoral traffic. | CO4 | 10 |
| b. | Explain the salient features of the Probation of Offenders Act. For what offences release on probation cannot be applied? | CO3 | 10 |
| **(OR)** | | | | |
| 6. | a. | Explain Criminal Misconduct and Bribe under the Prevention of Corruption Act. | CO3 | 08 |
| b. | The existing provisions of the IPC and the CrPC were inadequate to tackle the problem of corruption in India enlighten the legal measures taken under the Prevention of Corruption Act, to curb corruption in India. | CO4 | 12 |
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| 7. | a. | Describe the legal provisions regarding detention powers under the the Conservation of Foreign Exchange and Prevention of Smuggling Activities Act. | CO4 | 10 |
| b. | Explain the legal measures under the Narcotic and psychotropic Substances Act regarding the Power of Central Government to permit, control and regulate controlled substances. | CO4 | 10 |
| **(OR)** | | | | |
| 8. | a. | A study conducted by the FSSAI across 33 states found that milk in India was adulterated with diluted water, detergent, fat and even urea. Explain adulterated food with examples under the Prevention of Food and Adulteration Act. | CO4 | 10 |
| b. | Summarize the various offences and the punishments under the Prevention of Food and Adulteration Act. | CO4 | 10 |
|  | | **Compulsory**: |  |  |
| 9. | a. | Jai Kumar, a resident of Barbaria village under Shantala police station in Nadia district, was put under detention under the COFEPOSA  Act after he was found to be the mastermind behind the three cases of seizure of gold during 2017-18 and 2018-19. Does such detention need to be approved by the Central Advisory Board? How long can the person be detained for such an offence under the act? Can detention period be extended? | CO6 | 05 |
| b. | The chargesheet in the Geetanjali ‘murder’ case before the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) court here has claimed that victim’s husband Ravneet Garg, a suspended judge, had taken a huge dowry and continued to harass her for more, which let her to commit suicide. Is the offence cognizable or non-cognizable? Can anticipatory bail be given for a dowry offence? State the punishment for asking dowry under the Prevention of Dowry Act. | CO6 | 05 |
| c. | On May 22 2019 Ms. Xa 26-year-old Schedule Tribe gynecologists, died by committing suicide in Mumbai. A few hours before she took her life, she had reportedly told her mother that she was subjected to harassment by three “upper” caste women doctors. Which act is applicable for this offence? What is the offence committed here? What is the term of punishment under the act? | CO6 | 05 |
| d. | A 2 bags of  “Homestyle Chicken Noodle Soup” was produced on Jan. 24. But the plastic bags inside the case are labeled as ‘Chicken & Poblano Pepper Soup’ and do not identify a list of ingredients.” The mistake was discovered when the firm received a consumer complaint. What is the offence committed? Under which act is the offence punishable and what is the prescribed punishment? | CO6 | 05 |