MADHUSUDAN LAW UNIVERSITY CUTTACK



THREE YEARS LL.B. COURSE (CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM)

(Academic Session – 2022-23)

LL.B First Semester Examination

Paper	Name of the Paper	Nature of Paper
Code		
101.	Constitutional Law-I	Compulsory
102.	Law of Contract-I	Compulsory
	(General Principles of Formation of Contract)	
103.	Law of Crimes-I	Compulsory
	(Indian Penal Code)	
104.	Environmental Law	Compulsory
105.	Law of Torts including Motor Vehicle Accident	Compulsory
	and Consumer Protection Laws	

LL.B Second Semester Examination

Paper	Name of the Paper	Nature of Paper
Code		
201.	Constitutional Law-II	Compulsory
202.	Contract Law-II	Compulsory
	(Special Contract)	
203.	Administrative Law	Compulsory
204.	Law of Crimes-II (Criminal Procedure Code, Juvenile Justice & Probation of Offenders Act)	Compulsory
205.	Law of Evidence	Compulsory

LL.B Third Semester Examination

Paper Code	Name of the Paper	Nature of Paper
301.	Family Law-1	Compulsory
302.	Public International Law	Compulsory
303.	Jurisprudence	Compulsory
304.	Company Law	Compulsory
305.	Practical Paper-Professional Ethics, Accountancy)	Practical

LL.B Fourth Semester Examination

Paper Code	Name of the Paper	Nature of Paper
401.	Family Law-II	Compulsory
402.	Law of Property	Compulsory
403.	Arbitration, Conciliation and Alternative Dispute	Practical

	Resolution Systems	
404.	Interpretation of Statues/Humanitarian and Refugee Law/Child and Law	Elective
405.	Banking Law/Right to Information/Penology and Victimology	Elective

LL.B Fifth Semester Examination

Paper	Name of the Paper	Nature of Paper
Code		
501.	Civil Procedure Code	Compulsory
502.	Labour Law-I	Compulsory
503.	Drafting, Pleading & Conveyancing	Practical
504.	Intellectual Property Rights/Competition Law/Media Law	Elective
505.	Insurance Law/ Human Right Law and Practice/Women and Criminal Law	Elective

LL.B Sixth Semester Examination

Paper	Name of the Paper	Nature of Paper
Code		
601.	Labour Law-II	Compulsory
602.	Principles of Taxation Laws	Compulsory
603.	Mediation (With Conciliation)	Compulsory
604.	Moot Court	Practical
605.	Land Laws/Private International Law/International	Elective
	Trade Law	

Sl.	Paper	No of Papers	Credits for Each	Credits
No			Paper	
1.	Compulsory	21	4	21*4= 84
	Paper			
2.	Clinical Paper	04	4	4*4= 16
3.	Elective Paper	05	4	5*4= 20
		Total Papers-30		Total Credits -120

A. Internal Assessment

i The distribution of the marks for the Internal Assessment is given below:

Internal Assessment	30 Marks	
Mid-Semester test	15 marks	
Written Assignment/Moot court	10 marks (5 marks for Written	
exercise	Assignment & 5 marks for oral	
	presentation)	
Attendance	5 marks	

B. Practical Courses

i For the practical courses, i.e., Alternative Dispute Resolution; Professional Ethics; Drafting, Pleading and Conveyancing the distribution of marks for the examination shall be as follows:

End semester	48 marks
Mid-semester	7 marks
Attendance	5 marks
Practical	40 mark (20 marks for written
	assignment and 20 marks for Viva-Voce).

SEMESTER 1

PAPER-01 (Code- LL.B 101)

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW-I

Unit 1- Introduction

Salient Features of the Indian Constitution

Nature of the Indian Constitution- Principles of Federalism, Unitary, Quasi-federal

Essential Features of Constitution

Preamble- significance, objectives and amendment of Preamble

Unit 2- The Union and the State Executives

The President and Vice President– Qualifications, Election, Term of Office, Powers,Impeachment

Governor– Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Powers

Nature, Scope and Extent of Executive Powers of the Union and States

Union Council of Ministers – Powers and Position of the President

State Council of Ministers

Relationship of the President/Governor with the Council of Ministers

Scope and Extent of Judicial Review of Executive Actions

Unit 3 Distribution of Legislative Powers and Emergency Provision

Distribution of Legislative Powers between Union and the States, Territorial and

TopicalDistribution of Powers, Power of Parliament to Legislate on State Matters

Doctrine of Territorial Nexus, Doctrine of Pith and Substance, Doctrine of

ColourableLegislation

Emergency Provisions with Special References to Proclamation of Emergency and

President's Rule, Financial Emergency

Unit 4- Parliament and Sate Legislature

Composition of Parliament and State legislatures

Qualification/Disqualification of Members

Legislative Procedure, Legislative Privilege

Suggested Readings:

- 1. D.D. Basu, Shorter Constitution of India (15th ed., 2018), LexisNexis
- 2. H.M. Seervai, Constitutional Law of India (4th ed., Vol 1 (1991), Vol. 2 (1993), Vol. 3 (2019 Rep.), Universal Law Publishing
- 3. M.P. Jain, Indian Constitutional Law (8th ed., 2018), LexisNexis
- 4. M. P. Singh, V. N. Shukla's Constitution of India (13th ed., 2019), EBC Publications
- 5. S. Choudhary, M Khosla and P.B Mehta, The Oxford Handbook of the Indian Constitution (1st ed., 2016), Oxford University Press
- 6. Udai Raj Rai, Fundamental Rights and their Enforcement (2011), Prentice Hall India Learning Private Limited

SEMESTER 1 PAPER-02 (CODE LL.B 102)

LAW OF CONTRACT-I

Unit 1- Formation of Contract

Meaning and Nature of Contract

Essential elements and kinds of contract agreement

Offer/Proposal- Definition, Communication, Revocation, Kinds, Invitation to treat

Acceptance- Definition, Communication, Revocation

Consideration-meaning, essential elements of consideration, Doctrine of Privity of Contract, Exceptions of consideration

Standard form of contract, E contracts

Unit 2- Capacity to Contract and Free Consent

Capacity to contract-Minor's Agreement, Persons of unsound mind

Free consent--Coercion, Undue Influence, Misrepresentation, Fraud, Mistake; Lawful Object, Effect on contracts influenced by any factor vitiating free consent

Void Agreements- Agreement in Restraint of Marriage, Agreement in Restraint of Trade, Agreement in Restraint of Legal Proceedings, Ambiguous and uncertain agreements, Agreement by way of wager

Unit 3- Discharge of Contract

Contingent Contracts

Performance of contract- Offer of performance, Performance of joint promises,
Time for performance and Anticipatory breach of Contract, Impossibility of performanceDoctrine of Frustration, Grounds of frustration and its effect, Appropriation of payments
Contract which need not be performed— Novation, Rescission and Alteration of Contract,
Remission of Performance

Unit 4 Quasi-contract, Breach of Contract and Remedies

Quasi-Contracts- Supply of necessaries, Payment by interested person, Liability to payfor non-gratuitous acts, Finder of goods, Mistake or coercion

Breach of Contract-Anticipatory breach and Consequences of Breach, Remedies of Breach

Damages- Remoteness of damage, Measure of damages, Mitigation of damages, Liquidated damages and Penalty

- Pollock & Mulla, Indian Contract & Specific Relief Act (edited by R Yashod Vardhan and Chitra Narayan) 15th Ed. 2017, LexisNexis
- 2. J. Beatson, Anson's Law of Contract (29th ed., 2010), Oxford Publications
- 3. Avtar Singh, Law of Contract and Specific Relief, EBC Publications
- 4. Sachin Rastogi, Insights into E-Contracts in India, 2017, LexisNexis
- 5. R. K Singh, Law Relating to Electronic Contracts, 2015, LexisNexis
- 6. Cheshire, Fifoot and Furmston's, Law of Contract (17th ed., 2017), Oxford University Press

SEMESTER 1

PAPER- 03 (Code LL.B 103) LAW OF CRIMES-1

Unit 1

Definition and nature of crime, General conditions creating criminal liability; Strict Liability

General Exceptions: Mistake (Sections 76 and 79), Accident (S.80), Necessity (Section 81), Infancy (Sections 82-83), Unsoundness of Mind (Section 84), Intoxication (Sections 85-86), Right of Private Defence (Sections 96-106)

Joint and Constructive Liability (Section 34 and 149)

Unit 2

Abetment: Meaning, Essential elements, Criminal Conspiracy

Offences against Human Body: Culpable Homicide, Murder, Hurt, Grievous Hurt, Kidnapping and Abduction, Rape, Unnatural offences, Assault or Criminal force, Voyeurism, Stalking, Criminal Intimidation, Outraging the modesty of a woman

Unit 3

Offences against Property: Theft, Extortion, Robbery and Dacoity, Criminal Misappropriation and Criminal breach of trust Cheating, Mischief, Criminal Trespass, House breaking, House trespass

3.2 Offences against Marriage: Bigamy, Adultery, Cruelty

Unit 4

Offences against State: Waging War, Sedition

Offences against Public Tranquility: Unlawful Assembly, Rioting, Affray
Attempt: Intention to commit an offence, Preparation and Attempt, Proximity rule,
Impossibility Test.

- 1. K.T. Thomas, M.A. Rashid (Rev.), Ratan Lal & Dhiraj Lal's The Indian Penal Code, (35th ed., 2017), LexisNexis
- 2. K.D. Gaur, Criminal Law: Cases and Materials, (8th ed., 2015), LexisNexis

- 3. R.C. Nigam, Law of Crimes in India (Vol. I) (1965), New York, Asia Pub. House
- 4. V.B. Raju, Commentary on Indian Penal Code, 1860, Dwivedi & Company, 2019
- 5. K.N.C. Pillai & Shabistan Aquil (Rev.), Essays on the Indian Penal Code, The Indian Law Institute, 2005
- 6. K. I. Vibhute (Rev.), P.S.A. Pillai's Criminal Law (13th ed., 2017), LexisNexis
- 7. Syed Shamsul Huda, The Principles of the Law of Crimes in British India, 1st Edition Reprint, 2019, EBC Publications
- 8. K.N. Chandrasekharan Pillai, General Principles of Criminal Law (2nd edition 2011, Reprint) EBC Publications

SEMESTER I

PAPER-04 (Code LL.B 104)

ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

Unit-1: Introduction

Meaning and Concept-Environment, Environmental Pollution, Need for Environment Protection

General legal remedies- Public Nuisance, Absolute liability, Criminal law remedies- IPC, Cr.P.C, Other Statutory remedies

Constitutional Provisions: Right to clean and healthy environment, Directive Principles of State Policy, Fundamental Duties

International Momentum- Stockholm Conference, Rio Conference, Kyoto Protocol, Paris Convention

Unit-2: Environmental Protection Legislations

The Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974- Composition and Functions of Central Pollution Control Board and State Pollution Control Board, Prevention and Control of Water Pollution

Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981- Definitions, Sources and Effects of Air Pollution, Central Pollution Control Board and State Pollution Control Board, Prevention and Control of Air Pollution

Environment Protection Act, 1986: Powers and Functions of Central Government, Judicial decisions, Environmental Impact Assessment Noise Pollution (Control and Regulation) Rules 2000, National Green Tribunal Act 2010-Establishment and Composition, Powers and Jurisdiction

Unit 3: Protection and Conservation of Forest and Wild Life

Indian Forest Act 1927- Protected Forests, Reserve Forest, Village Forest

Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980-Aims and Objectives, Prior approval and non-forest purpose, Judicial Decisions

Forest Rights Act, 2006 - Recognition and Vesting of forest rights, Authorities and Procedure

Wild life Protection Act, 1972- Sanctuaries and National parks, Tiger Conservation; Animal Welfare

Unit 4- Emerging Principles and Issues

Sustainable Development, Polluter Pays Principle, Precautionary Principle, Public TrustDoctrine.

Climate Change- Concept, International efforts, UNFCCC

Biodiversity Conservation- Concept and Meaning; Biodiversity Conservation Act 2002-definitions, Authorities under the Act, Judicial decisions

- Shyam Divan, Armin Rosencranz, Environmental Law and Policy in India, Oxford University Press
- 2. P.Leelakrishnan, Environmental Law in India, LexisNexis
- 3. P.S Jaswal, Nishta Jaswal. Environmental Law, Allahabad Law Agency
- 4. Philip Sands and Jacqueline Peel, Principles of International Environmental Law, Cambridge University Press
- 5. Patricia Birnie; Alan Boyle; Catherine Redgwell, International Law and the Environment, Oxford University Press

SEMESTER 1

PAPER- 05 (Code LL.B 105)

LAW OF TORTS INCLUDING MV ACCIDENT AND CONSUMER PROTECTION LAWS

Unit 1

Origin and Development of law of Tort

Meaning, Nature and Scope of Law of Tort, Pigeon Hole Theory

Elements of Tort, Damnum sine Injuria, Injuria sine Damnum

Distinction between Tort and Crime, Tort and Contract

Tort of Negligence, Contributory Negligence, Res Ipsa Loquitur.

General defences: Volenti non Fit Injuria, Act of God, Inevitable Accident, Statutory Authority

Vicarious Liability: Master's Vicarious Liability, Sovereign Immunity.

Unit 2

Remoteness of damages: Intended Consequences and Unintended Consequences,

rules

to determine remoteness, Novus Actus Intervenience

Strict Liability: Ryland v. Fletcher Rule, Defences and Applicability in India,

AbsoluteLiability: M.C. Mehta v. Union of India Rule.

Tort against Person: Assault, Battery, False Imprisonment.

Tort against Property: Nuisance.

Tort against Reputation-Malicious prosecution, Defamation

Unit 3

Motor Vehicle Accident: Motor Vehicle, Driving licence, Vehicle Registration
Regulation of Safety measures in construction and maintenance of vehicles, road safetyand
Traffic management

Provisions regarding the "no fault liability"

Insurance against third party risk, Claims Tribunal, Award of Compensation

Unit 4

Consumer Protection Act, 2019, Definition of Consumer, Rights of Consumer

Consumer Protection Authorities

Product Liability

Unfair Trade Practices- Misleading and false advertising, Unsafe and hazardous products

Deficiency in Services

Suggested Readings:

- 1. W.V.H. Rogers, Winfield & Jolowicz on Tort (Sweet & Maxwell, 19th edn., 2016).
- 2. R.F.V.Heuston and R.A. Buckley, Salmond & Heuston on The Law of Torts (Sweet & Maxwell, 21st edn., 1996).
- 3. G.P.Singh and Akshay Sapre, Ratanlal & Dhirajlal The Law of Torts (Lexis Nexis, 28th edn., 2019).
- 4. Avtar Singh (Rev.), P.S. Atchuthen Pillai Law of Torts (Eastern Book Company, 9th edn., 2008).
- 5. Tony Weir, A Casebook on Tort (Sweet & Maxwell, 10th edn., 2004).
 - 6. G. B Reddy and Baglekar Akash Kumar, Consumer Protection Act: A Commentary (EBC Publication, First Edition, 2021.
- 7. K Kannan, Commentary on Motor Vehicles Act (Oakbridge Publication, 2021)

SEMESTER SECOND

List of Papers

- Paper 1- Constitutional Law-II
- Paper 2- Law of Contract-II (Special Contract)
- Paper 3- Administrative Law
- Paper 4- Law of Crimes-II (Cr.P.C)
- Paper 5- Law of Evidence

SEMESTER II

PAPER- 01 (Code LL.B 201)

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW-II

Unit 1- Fundamental Rights and State Action

Nature and Significance of Fundamental Rights

State- Definition of State, Local Authority, Scope of Other Authorities, Changing Concept of State

State Action-Judicial Review, Pre and Post Constitution Laws, Doctrine of Eclipse,

Doctrine of Severability, Waiver of Fundamental Rights

Right to Equality-Equality before Law and Equal Protection of Laws, Test of

Reasonable Classification, The doctrine of non-arbitrariness

Concept of Protective Discrimination/Affirmative Action

Special Provisions for Women and Children

Reservation in admission in educational institutions, Reservation in State Services

Unit 2- Right to Freedom

Fundamental Freedoms- Importance, Availability Nature of Rights

Freedom of Speech and Expression, Freedom of press, Right to information, Reasonable restriction

Freedom to Assemble and Form Association, Freedom of Movement and Residence,

Freedom to carry on Trade and Commerce

Protection in respect of Conviction for Offences, Double jeopardy, Protection against Self-incrimination

Protection of Life and Personal Liberty-Meaning, Procedure established by Law and Due Process of Law,

Judicial Interpretation of Article 21 and various derivative rights
Safeguard against arbitrary arrest and detention

Unit 3- Freedom of Religion and Minorities Rights

- 3.1 Right to Religion-Meaning of Secularism, Individuals' right of religion, Right of religious denominations
- 3.2. Right against exploitation

Right of minorities- Meaning of minority, Right of minorities to establish and administereducational institution; administrative autonomy of minority institutions Right to Constitutional Remedies-Doctrine of locus standi, Public Interest Litigation, WritJurisdiction and various kinds of writs.

Unit 4- Directive Principles of State Policy and Fundamental Duties

The Constitutional Scheme of Directive Principles, Non-enforceability of DirectivePrinciples.

Interrelationship between Directive Principles and Fundamental rights, judicialenforceability of Directive Principles of State Policy.

Fundamental Duties-Significance and enforceability

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Austin Granville- The Indian constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation, Oxford India
- 2. Seervai H.M. Constitution of India, Universal Law Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd.
- 3. Jain M.P. Indian Constitutional Law, LexisNexis
- 4. Shukla V N- Constitution of India (ed. By M.P. Singh), EBC Publications
- 5. Basu D.D. Shorter Constitution of India, LexisNexis

SEMESTER II PAPER- 02 (CODE LL.B 202) CONTRACT LAW-II (SPECIAL CONTRACT)

Unit 1: Indemnity and Guarantee/Bailment and Pledge

Meaning of Indemnity and Guarantee

Distinction between Indemnity and Guarantee

Right and Duties of Indemnifier, Indemnified and Surety

Discharge of Surety, Kinds of Guarantee

Bailment and Pledge: Meaning and Distinction

Rights and Duties of Bailor and Bailee

Rights and Duties of Pawnor and Pawnee

Lien, Termination of Bailment

Unit 2: Agency

Definitions of Agent and Principal

Appointment of an Agent, Authority of an Agent

Creation of agency: by agreement, Ratification and law

Relation of principal and agent, subagent and substituted agent

Ratification of Agents Authority, Revocation of Agency Authority

Effects of Agency on Contracts with third person

Personal Liability of agents, Termination of agency

Unit 3: Sale of Goods Act 1930

Contract of Sale: Nature and definition,

Conditions and Warranties, Transfer of Property and Title

Performance of the contracts

Rights of unpaid seller

Suit for breach of contract

Unit 4: The Indian Partnership Act, 1932

Nature of partnership firm

Relations of partners to one another and outsiders

Rights and Duties of partners inter se

Partnership Property: Relations of Partners to third parties

Liability for holding out, Minor as a partner

Incoming and outgoing partners

Dissolution of Partnership Firm, Modes of Dissolution, Consequences of dissolution

Registration of firms and effects of non-registration.

- 1. Anson, Law of Contract, 31st Edition, 2020, Oxford University Press.
- 2. Pollock and Mulla, Indian Contract Act, LexisNexis

- 3. Avtar Singh, Indian Contracts Act, EBC Publications
- 4. Mulla, D. F., Indian Partnership Act, LexisNexis
- 5. Desai, S.T, Law of Contracts Partnership in India, LexisNexis
- 6. R.K. Bangia, Sales of Goods Act, Allahabad Law Agency
- 7. Avtar Singh, Sales of Good Act, EBC Publications
- 8. Avtar Singh, Indian Partnership Act, EBC Publications
- 9. K. Sukumaran, Pollock & Mulls The Indian Partnership Act, LexisNexis

SEMESTER II

PAPER- 03 (Code LL.B 203)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

Unit 1- Introduction to Administrative Law

Key Concepts-Welfare State, Rule of Law, Doctrine of Separation of Power, Parliamentary Sovereignty

Definition, Nature, Scope and Significance of Administrative law, Reasons for growth of administrative law, Difference between Constitutional Law and Administrative law

Evolution and Development of Administrative Law – India, UK, USA and France (*Droit Administratif*), Global Administrative Law

Administrative Action-Meaning, Classification, Need to Control of Administrative Action

Unit 2- Administrative Rule-Making

Administrative Rule Making/Delegated Legislation-Meaning, Need for administrative Rule-making, Classification of Delegated Legislation, Constitutionality of Delegated Legislation

Delegated legislation and Conditional Legislation, Sub-Delegation, delegation of Taxing Power, Retrospective Operation of Delegated Legislation

Control of Delegated Legislation in India-Parliamentary Control, Procedural Control, Judicial Control and Doctrine of *Ultra vires*, Effect of an *Ultra vires* administrative legislation

Unit 3- Judicial Control of Administrative Action

Judicial Review- Meaning, Position in U.K, U.S and India, Grounds of Judicial Review of administrative action-Illegality, Irrationality (Wednesbury Test), Procedural Impropriety, Proportionality

Writ Jurisdiction-Meaning of Writs, Kinds of Writs, Jurisdiction of Supreme Court and High Courts, Authorities amenable to Writ Jurisdiction, *Locus standi* in Writ Jurisdiction.

Judicial Doctrines- Doctrine of Legitimate expectation, Doctrine of Proportionality, Doctrine of Public Accountability

Private Law Review and Other Remedies -Private Law Review, Meaning, Injunction, Declaration, Suit for Damages, Lokpal, Lokayukta, Ombudsman

Unit 4- Principles of Natural Justice, State Liability and Administrative Adjudication

- 4.1. Meaning, Constitutional Framework, Principles of Natural Justice, Rule againstBias, Audi Alteram Partem, Meaning, Incidents of *audi alteram partem* rule, Exceptions to the Principles of Natural Justice
- 4.3. Liability of State-Doctrine of Sovereign Immunity, Liability of administration in Contract, Liability of administration in Tort, State Liability and Compensatory Jurisprudence

Administration Adjudication-Meaning, Reasons for growth of administrative Adjudication, Distinction between Judicial, Quasi-Judicial Function and Administrative action

Administrative Tribunals, Advantages and Disadvantages of Tribunal Justice System, Administrative Tribunal Act 1985- Procedure and powers of Administrative Tribunal, Constitutional validity of administrative tribunals

- William Wade and Christopher Forsyth. 2014. Administrative Law. 11th ed. Oxford University Press: UK
- 2. I.P Massey. 2020. Administrative Law 9th ed. Eastern Book Co: Lucknow
- 3. MP Jain & S N Jain.2017. Principles of administrative Law, LexisNexis: Nagpur
- 4. C.K Thakker. 2012. Administrative Law 2nd ed. Eastern Book Co:Lucknow

- 5. C.K Takwani, 2020 Lectures on administrative Law 6th ed. Eastern Book Co.:Lucknow
- 6. UPD Kesari, 2018. Lectures on Administrative Law 22nd ed. Central Law Publications: Allahabad

SEMESTER II PAPER-04 (CODE LL.B 204) CRIMINAL PROCEDURE CODE

Unit 1- Definition and Constitution of Criminal Courts

Definition under Section 2.

Constitution and Powers of Criminal Courts and Offices

Arrest, Escape and Re-Taking

Unit 2- Procedure for Appearance and Production of Things

Process to Compel Appearance and Production of Thing and Discovery of PersonWrongfully Confined

Security for Keeping Peace and Good Behaviour

Unit 3- Investigation and Commencement of Trial

Maintenance of Public Order and Tranquillity

Information to the Police and Their Powers to Investigate

Complaint to Magistrates and Commencement of Proceedings before Magistrate

Unit 4- Criminal Trial

Charge, Procedure for Framing Charge and Compilation of Charges
Trial of Cases by Magistrate Summon and Warrant Case and Summary Trials
Provisions as to Bail and Bonds.

- 1. Kelkar, Criminal Procedure Code, EBC Publications
- 2. Ratan Lal, Dhiraj Lal, The Code of Criminal Procedure, LexisNexis
- 3. D. D. Basu, Criminal Procedure Code, LexisNexis
- 4. Woddroffe, Commentarires on Code of Criminal Procedure, EBC Publications

- K.N Pillai, Chandrashekharan (ed.) Kelkar's Lectures on Criminal Procedure, EBC Publications
- 6. S.C. Sarkar, The Law of Criminal Procedure, LexisNexis

SEMESTER II PAPER- 05 (CODE LL.B 205) LAW OF EVIDENCE

Unit 1- Introduction

Extent, commencement and application of Indian Evidence Act (Section 1)

Interpretation clause (Section 3)

Presumptions- may presume, shall presume and conclusive proof (section 4)

Concepts of 'Facts', 'Facts in issue', 'Relevant facts', 'Evidence-Oral and Documentary',

'Proved', 'Disproved' and 'not proved'

Relationship between law of evidence and substantive laws

Unit 2- Relevancy and Admissibility of Facts

Relevancy of Facts (sections 5-16)

Admissions (Sections 17-23 and 31

Confessions (Sections 24-30)

Statements by persons who cannot be called as witnesses (Sections 32-33)

Statements made under special circumstances (Sections 34-39)

Judgements of Courts of Justice when relevant (Sections 40-44)

Opinion of Third Person When Relevant (Sections 45-51)

Unit 3- Evidence, Burden of Proof and Presumptions

Oral Evidence (Sections 59-60)

Documentary Evidence (Sections 61-78)

Burden of Proof (Sections 101-110)

Presumption as to Certain Offences (Sections 111-114 A)

Unit 4- Law of Estoppels and Witnesses

Estoppels (Sections 115-117)

Witnesses, Privileged Communications (Sections 118-132)

Accomplice (Sections 133)

Examination of Witnesses- Child witness (Section 118), Dumb witness (Section 119), hostile witness (Section 154)

Number of Witnesses (Sections 134)

Examination-in-Chief, Cross-Examination, Re-examination

Leading Questions

- 1. Ratan Lal and Dheeraj Lal, The Law of Evidence, LexisNexis
- 2. Batuk Lal, Law of Evidence, Central Law Agency
- 3. C.D. Field, Law of Evidence, Delhi Law House
- 4. M. Monir, Law of Evidence, Universal Law Publications
- 5. Avtar Singh, Evidence, EBC Publications