

**BA LLB
Fourth Semester
LEGAL ENGLISH
(BLB – 401)**

Duration: 3Hrs.

Full Marks: 80

Part-A (Objective) =30
Part-B (Descriptive) =50

(PART-B: Descriptive)

Duration: 2 hrs. 30 mins.

Marks: 50

Answer the following questions:

1. What is the Official language of the Union under Article 343 and 344 of the Constitution? Write a note on the official language of the Union and the States in India. (2+8=10)

Or

Can a person submit a petition for redress to any authority in any language in India? What is the official language of the Supreme Court and High Court in India? Write on the Constitutional provision for official language of the Courts in India. (2+2+6=10)

2. Write a legal report on the conviction of a rape accused given by the High Court of Meghalaya. (10)

Or

What is a case comment? Write a comment on the case Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India (AIR 1978 SC 597) (10)

3. Write the meaning of the following words: (2×5=10)

(i) Pleading (ii) Injunction (iii) Ex-parte (iv) Contract
(v) Fault

Or

Match the following:

(2×5=10)

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| (i) Torts | (a) theft |
| (ii) Laches | (b) goods |
| (iii) Larceny | (c) civil wrong |
| (iv) Chattel | (d) superior force |
| (v) Force Majeure | (e) slackness |

4. What are the principles of natural justice? Write short note on, '*nemo debet esse judex in propria causa*'. (3+7=10)

Or

What is '*sutra*'? Write a short note on '*res judicata*'. (2+8=10)

5. Who was Nikolay Harlamov? Do you think that the trial of the accused in the literary piece 'In the Court' was fair? Give reasons to support your answer. (2+8=10)

Or

Discuss the five functions of a great lawyer as suggested by Arthur T. Vanderbilt. (10)

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(PART A- Objective Type)

I. Choose the correct answer:

1×10=10

1. Law of Evidence is a/an.....law.
(a) substantive law (b) adjective law
(c) administrative law (d) none of the above
2. Which of the following schedule of the Constitution of India recognises official languages?
(a) Eighth schedule (b) Tenth schedule
(c) Fifth schedule (d) Twelfth schedule
3. 'Supra' means:
(a) Above (b) Below
(c) Identical (d) None of the above
4. Full form of 'op.cit' is:
(a) Opus citatum (b) Ibidem
(c) Idem (d) Loco citato
5. Which of the following means unsolicited words or conducts which tend to annoy, alarm or abuse another person?
(a) Accused (b) Harassment
(c) Statutes (d) None of the above
6. What is the Latin term for 'intentionally'?
(a) Amino (b) Ad hoc
(c) Ad damnum (d) None of the above
7. Latin term for 'hear the other side' is:
(a) Audi alterem partem (b) Noscitor a sociis
(c) Double jeopardy (d) None of the above
8. *Ubi jus ibi remedium* means:
(a) No one should be judged in his own cause
(b) No right without remedy
(c) Nobody is above law
(d) None of the above

9. 'The Language of the Law' was written by:

- (a) Anton Chekov (b) Felix Frankfurter
(c) Urban A. Lavery (d) Arthur T. Vanderbilt

10. Nikolay Harlamov was accused of the murder of his:

- (a) mother (b) wife
(c) sister (d) son

II. Answer the following questions:

2×10=20

1. Write two differences between cognizable and non-cognizable offence.
2. Write two duties of advocates towards the court.
3. Interpret the citation: Sebastian Hongray v. Union of India [AIR (1984) 1 SCC 339]
4. Write the citation correctly: Allahabad: Central Law Publication, 2010, J.N.Pandey, at 240, 24th edition. Constitutional Law of India.
5. Write the meaning of "Assault".

