

LLB
FIFTH SEMESTER
AFFIRMATIVE ACTION & DISCRIMINATIVE JUSTICE
LLB – 507H₆ CL
(USE OMR FOR OBJECTIVE PART)

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 min.

Marks: 20

(Objective)

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1 × 20 = 20

1. "Justice is the first virtue of social institution". Which of the following jurists quoted this?
 - a. Socrates
 - b. Plato
 - c. John Rawls
 - d. Hugo Grotius
2. Which part of the Constitution of India deals with 'Fundamental Rights'?
 - a. Part II
 - b. Part III
 - c. Part IV
 - d. Part V
3. Which of the following jurists introduced the theory of 'Utilitarianism'?
 - a. Jeremy Bentham
 - b. Ronald Dworkin
 - c. John Rawls
 - d. John Austin
4. Which Article of the Constitution of India deals with 'Equality of opportunity in matters of Public Employment'?
 - a. Article 12
 - b. Article 14
 - c. Article 15
 - d. Article 16
5. In which year International Convention on the elimination of all forms of Racial discrimination was enacted?
 - a. 1965
 - b. 1969
 - c. 1971
 - d. 1973
6. Which Article of the Constitution of India deals with 'Abolition of Untouchability'?
 - a. Article 15
 - b. Article 17
 - c. Article 18
 - d. Article 19
7. In which year Mandal Commission was established?
 - a. 1975
 - b. 1979
 - c. 1981
 - d. 1983
8. Which of the following Prime Ministers was associated with establishment of Mandal Commission?
 - a. Morarji Desai
 - b. Indira Gandhi
 - c. Jawaharlal Nehru
 - d. Atal Bihari Vajpayee

9. Which Article of the Constitution of India deals with "Uniform Civil Code"?
 - a. Article 36
 - b. Article 38
 - c. Article 42
 - d. Article 44
10. The author of 'Hind Swaraj' is-
 - a. B.R. Ambedkar
 - b. Mahatma Gandhi
 - c. Julius Stone
 - d. Lord Macaulay
11. Article 15 of the Constitution of India restricts discrimination on the ground of
 - a. Religion
 - b. Caste
 - c. Both (a) & (b)
 - d. colour
12. Which Article of the Constitution of India says that-"There shall be a commission for the Scheduled Castes to be known as the National Commission for the Scheduled Castes".
 - a. Article 338(1)
 - b. Article 335
 - c. Article 340
 - d. Article 341
13. In which year Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act was enacted?
 - a. 1982
 - b. 1985
 - c. 1989
 - d. 1992
14. Which of the following case is related to 'Secularism'?
 - a. Maneka Gandhi vs Union of India Case
 - b. A.K. Gopalan vs State of Punjab
 - c. S.R. Bommai vs Union of India
 - d. I.R. Coelho vs State of Tamil Nadu
15. What do you understand by Secularism?
 - a. The government enforces a particular religion in the country.
 - b. One religious community does not dominate another
 - c. Some members dominate other members of the same community
 - d. The State take away the religious freedom of individuals.
16. Secularism in Indian Constitution does not include:
 - a. No official religion in the state
 - b. Doctrine of Benevolent neutrality
 - c. Separation of State and Religion
 - d. Doctrine of Principled Distance
17. The term 'Justice' is derived from the word 'Jus' which is a word from:
 - a. Latin language
 - b. Greek language
 - c. English language
 - d. French language
18. Which of the following term refers to the fair and equitable distribution of resources, opportunities and privileges in society?
 - a. Social Harmony
 - b. Social Equality
 - c. Social Justice
 - d. Social Contract

19. In the context of Social Justice, what does the term "Affirmative Action" means?
- a. Implementing policies to benefit the privileged
 - b. Providing equal opportunities to all individuals
 - c. Taking specific measures to uplift disadvantaged groups
 - d. Promoting a merit-based system in education
20. 'Equal pay for equal work' is a part of which type of justice?
- a. Social Justice
 - b. Economic Justice
 - c. Political Justice
 - d. Religious Justice
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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 min.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. Write briefly about the concept of 'Justice'. Explain the various theories of 'Justice' with the help of case laws. 3+7=10
2. Critically discuss does 'Affirmative Action' render 'Discriminative Justice'? 10
3. Discuss the salient features of the Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act. 10
4. Write an extensive note on the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act. 10
5. Write short notes on- 5+5=10
 - a. International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination
 - b. Mandal Commission
6. "Affirmative Action and Discriminative Justice are two distinct, yet sometimes interconnected concepts, especially when examined within the framework of personal laws". - Discuss this. 10
7. "Reservation is not an end but a means-a means to secure Social and Economic Justice". - Discuss this statement with the help of Reservation policies in India. 10
8. What do you understand by the term 'Economic Democracy'? Discuss the necessity of 'Economic Democracy' in India. 10

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