

2012

LL.B., Third Semester

Paper IV & V (d): Interpretation of Statues and Principles of Legislation

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I (Unit-I) which is compulsory and selecting one question each from Unit II-V.

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UNIT – I

I. Write short notes on the following:-

- a) Operation of statute
- b) Purposive interpretation
- c) Preamble as an internal aid to interpretation
- d) Nositur a sociis. (4x5)

UNIT – II

- II. Discuss the meaning, principles and types of legislation. (15)
- III. Explain in detail the meaning and different types of statutes. (15)

UNIT – III

- IV. What is 'golden rule of interpretation'? Explain with the help of case laws. (15)
- V. Discuss the rule of harmonious constructions of statute with the help of decided cases. (15)

UNIT – IV

- VI. Write a note on interval aids to the interpretation of statute. (15)
- VII. How far are the external aids helpful to interpret statutes? Discuss. (15)

UNIT – V

- VIII. Write notes on:-
 - a) Ejus dem generic
 - b) Inpari material (2x7½)
- IX. Write notes on the following:-
 - a) Lex non Logit and impossibilia
 - b) Mens rea (2x7½)

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