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NINTH SEMESTER [LLB] DECEMBER 2023 – JANUARY 2024

Paper Code: LLB-501

Subject: Legal Ethics & Court Craft

(BATCH 2014 ONWARDS)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt all questions from Part A & B as directed. Internal choice is indicated.

PART-A

- Q1 Write short notes on:- (5x5=25)
- (a) Functions and Duties of Bar council of India.
 - (b) Powers of a Single Judge bench in Supreme Court.
 - (c) Adverse Possession u/s 27 of the Limitation Act, 1963.
 - (d) Time given for registration of Documents under Indian registration act, 1908.
 - (e) Persons who can appear and plead before the Supreme Court.

PART-B

UNIT-I

- Q2 Explain in detail the procedure for filing a writ of *Habeas Corpus* under Article 32 of the constitution of India. (12.5)

OR

- Q3 State the procedure for exercise of Original Civil jurisdiction under the Delhi High Court (Original side) rules, 1967. (12.5)

UNIT-II

- Q4 Discuss in detail the provisions relating to condonation of delay u/s 5 of the Limitation act, 1963. What provisions can be used to condone the delay in filing a suit or an application for execution under Order XXI of Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. (12.5)

OR

- Q5 What is the effect of non-registration of compulsory registrable documents u/s 17 of the Registration Act, 1908? Examine the doctrine of "collateral transaction". (12.5)

UNIT-III

- Q6 Nisha has obtained his MBBS Degree in 2015 and enrolled herself as a medical practitioner and continued with her medical practice. She also obtained her LL.B Degree in 2018 by attending an evening Law College. In the same year she filed an application with the Bar Council for enrollment as an advocate. However, she does not want to give up her medical practice and wants to continue with both. Decide whether she can be enrolled as an advocate while referring to the relevant provisions of Advocate's Act and Bar Council rules. (12.5)

OR

- Q7 What is professional misconduct? Explain the procedure and powers of Disciplinary committee of Bar Council in checking the professional misconduct. Support your answer with the relevant legal provisions and case laws. (12.5)

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UNIT-IV

- Q8 Abhinav was charged for an act of forgery. He hired Mr. Sareen, an advocate to defend himself, which was accepted by Mr. Sareen. After this Abhinav again committed an act of forgery which came into the knowledge of Mr. Sareen. Mr. Sareen reported this fact before the court. Aggrieved by the act of Mr. Sareen, Abinav filed a complaint against his advocate before the authorities on the ground of breach of privileged communication and professional misconduct. However, his complain was dismissed and it was held by the authorities that "An advocate is primarily an officer of the court, before being anything else". Explain and elaborate the duties of an advocate towards his client vis-a vis court in India. What would be your decision in the above stated circumstances? Support your answer with the relevant legal provisions and case laws. (12.5)

OR

- Q9 Advocacy is a Nobel Profession. Discuss the statement in the light of the recent Supreme Court judgments. Make special reference to the duties of an advocate towards the society and right of lawyers to strike. (12.5)

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Subject: Legal Ethics and Court Craft

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt five questions in all including. Q. No 1 which is compulsory. Select one question from each unit.

PART-A

- Q1 Write short notes on the following:- (5x5=25)
- (a) Why affidavit is not evidence
 - (b) Can a petition be filled without affidavit?
 - (c) Role of Disciplinary Committee
 - (d) Legal Practitioners Liability for Deficiency in Services
 - (e) Legal Aid

PART-B

UNIT-I

- Q2 (a) Discuss Role and power of single Judge of the High Court. (6.25)
(b) Discuss the types of petition Entertained by the supreme court. (6.25)
- Q3 (a) Role of Registrar of the Supreme court? (6.25)
(b) Criminal Jurisdiction of High Court. (6.25)

UNIT-II

- Q4 (a) What are the important features of Limitation Act? (6.25)
(b) Discuss the exceptions of Limitation Act? (6.25)
- Q5 (a) Which documents are compulsory registrable? (6.25)
(b) What is the effect of non registration of documents under section 17 of Registration Act? (6.25)

UNIT-III

- Q6 What are the duties that an advocate owes for maintainaing harmonious relationship between Bar and Bench? (12.5)
- Q7 Discuss the Role and Responsibilities ay Ban Council of India? (12.5)

UNIT-IV

- Q8 (a) Why are professional ethics important for lawyers? (6.25)
(b) What are the seven principles of professional Ethics? (6.25)
- Q9 Discuss Professional misconduct of Lawyers in India with landmark judgements on professional misconduct, (12.5)

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NINTH SEMESTER [LLB] NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2019

Paper Code: LLB-501

Subject: Legal Ethics and Court Craft
(Batch: 2014 onwards)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt five questions in all including Q.no1 of part A which is compulsory. Select one question from each unit of part B.

PART-A

- Q1 Write short notes on the following:- (5x5=25)
- (a) Section 27 of the Limitation Act, 1963
 - (b) Time and Place of Registration under the Registration Act, 1908.
 - (c) Duties of an Advocate towards the colleagues.
 - (d) Right of an advocate to Practice.
 - (e) Parameters for designation of Senior Advocates.

PART-B

UNIT-I

- Q2 Write short notes on: (12.5)
- (a) Types of Petitions that can be entertained by the Supreme Court of India.
 - (b) Advocates under the Supreme Court Rules.

- Q3 Discuss the role and power of Single Judge under the Delhi High Court Rules. (12.5)

UNIT-II

- Q4 Discuss the effects of registration and non-registration of a document required to be registered. (12.5)
- Q5 Explain the guiding principles for condonation of delay under section 5 of the Limitation Act, 1963 with the help of decided cases. (12.5)

UNIT-III

- Q6 "Professional misconduct consist in betraying the confidence of a client, in attempting by any means to practice a fraud or impose on or deceive the court or the adverse party or his counsel, and in fact in any conduct which tends to bring reproach on the legal profession". In this context, explain the meaning of the term 'professional misconduct' with the help of decided cases. (12.5)
- Q7 Discuss the functions of the Bar Council of India and the State Bar Council. (12.5)

UNIT-IV

- Q8 Discuss the duties of an Advocate towards the Court with the help of decided cases. Can an Advocate plead in any matter in which he has pecuniary interest? (12.5)
- Q9 Enumerate the duties of an Advocate towards the client. (12.5)

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Subject: Legal Ethics and Court Craft

(Batch 2014 Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks :75

Note: Attempt all questions from Part A. Attempt one question from each unit of Part B.

PART-A

- Q1 Write short notes on the following:- (5x5=25)
- (a) Legal disability
 - (b) Optional registration
 - (c) Legal aid
 - (d) Types of petition entertained by Supreme Court
 - (e) Advocates and their course of conduct under Delhi High Court Rules.

PART-B

UNIT-I

- Q2 Who is an advocate under Supreme Court Rules? Explain the parameters for designating an advocate as a senior advocate with special reference to *Ms. Indira Jaising v. Supreme Court of India*, Air 2018 SC 101. (12.5)
- Q3 Explain the procedure followed by the Single Judge of High Court in exercise of its original civil jurisdiction. (12.5)

UNIT-II

- Q4 The doctrine of condonation of delay is applicable if two requirements are fulfilled i.e. "sufficient cause" and "satisfaction of the court". Keeping in view the above statement, discuss the concept of condonation of delay. (12.5)
- Q5 What is the effect of non-registration of a compulsory registerable document? (12.5)

UNIT-III

- Q6 'Administartion of justice is a stream which has to be kept pure and clean. It has to be kept unpolluted. It is not something which concerns the Bench only. It concerns the Bar as well'. Discuss. (12.5)
- Q7 What is professional misconduct? Explain the concept with reference to cases of moral turpitude? (12.5)

UNIT-IV

- Q8 Explain the duty of an advocate towards the court with the help of recent judgments. (12.5)
- Q9 Write short notes on the following:- (12.5)
- (a) Duty to client
 - (b) Right to practice

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NINTH SEMESTER [LLB] NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2016

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Subject: Legal Ethics and Court Craft

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt any five questions including Q.no1 of part A which is compulsory. Select one question from each unit of part B.

PART-A

- Q1 Write short notes on the following:- (5x5=25)
- (a) Optional registration
 - (b) Difference between limitation and prescription
 - (c) Grounds for disqualification of advocates
 - (d) Division bench under Supreme Court Rules 2013
 - (e) Disposal of matters by judges in chamber under Delhi High Court Rules 1967

PART-B

UNIT-I

- Q2 Who are the advocates on record? Explain their process of selection and punishments for non performance of their duties under the amended provisions? (12.5)

- Q3 Explain in brief the exercise of original civil jurisdiction of High Court under Delhi High Court rules, 1967. (12.5)

UNIT-II

- Q4 Discuss the term 'sufficient cause' in detail under section 5 of the Limitations Act. What grounds for refusal to condone the delay? Explain with the help of case laws. (12.5)

- Q5 What is the effect of non registration of compulsory registerable documents? Examine the doctrine of 'collateral transaction'. (12.5)

UNIT-III

- Q6 "Judge and the Advocates helps each other in discharging their duties. Their broad purpose together has been to realize all those goals which are labeled and "Justice". Keeping in view this statement explain the relationship between Bar Bench. (12.5)

- Q7 How does disciplinary committee functions, while disposing of the matters of profession misconduct? What amount to moral turpitude? (12.5)

UNIT-IV

- Q8 Examine the historical background of legal profession in India. What are the rights and privileges of an advocate? (12.5)

Q9 Write short notes on:-

- (a) Duties of advocates towards client
- (b) Duties of advocates towards court

(2x6.25=12.5)

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NINTH SEMESTER [LLB] DECEMBER-2015

Paper Code: LLB501

Subject: Legal Ethics and Court Craft

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt any five questions including Q no.1 of Part A which is compulsory. Select one question from each unit of Part B.

PART-A

Q1 Write short notes on the following:- (5x5=25)

- (a) Advocate on Record
- (b) Cause list
- (c) Taking up cases on public holidays under Delhi High Court Rules 1967?
- (d) Registration officer
- (e) Officer of the court

PART-B

UNIT-I

Q2 How does a Division Benches is constituted under Supreme Court Rules 1966? Explain its powers vis a vis the powers of a single judge bench? (12.5)

Q3 Write an essay on transfer and withdrawal of suites and appeals under Delhi High Court Rules 1967. (12.5)

UNIT-II

Q4 "Limitation Act 1963 bars the remedy and does not annihilate the right". Critically examine the above statement by citing decided cases on the point. (12.5)

Q5 Explain and elaborate the concept of registrable documents with reference to Registration Act 1908. (12.5)

UNIT-III

Q6 What do you understand by the reciprocity as partners in administration of justice in Bar-Bench Relations. Explain. (12.5)

Q7 What is professional misconduct? Highlight the powers of Disciplinary Committee of Bar in India in checking professional misconduct. (12.5)

UNIT-IV

Q8 An advocate is primarily an officer of the court, before being anything else. Explain and elaborate the duties of an advocate towards courts in India. (12.5)

Q9 Legal Aid is not only the responsibility of governmental systems, rather the courts and advocate are equal partners in dispensing justice by reaching out to the poor and indigent as one of their primary Constitutional duties. Critically examine. (12.5)

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Ninth Semester [LLB] DEC 2011 - JAN 2012

Paper Code: LLB-501

Subject: Legal Ethics & Court Craft
(Batch 2004-2007)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Note: Part A is compulsory. Attempt one question from each unit in Part B.

PART-A

- Q.1 (A) Duties of an advocate towards his client. 5X5=25
(B) Remedies against the order of punishment to an advocate.
(C) Distinguish between limitation and prescription.
(D) Registration of Will
(E) Punishment for professional misconduct.

PART-B

UNIT-I

12.5X4=50

- Q.2 What is the procedure to exercise of original civil Jurisdiction under the Delhi High Court (Original side) Rules, 1967?
- Q.3 What are the matters may be exercised by the Registrar of Supreme Court in its chamber as per Order VI of The Supreme Court Rules, 1966 ?

UNIT-II

- Q.4 Can the negligence of the clerk of a counsel or mistake of law be considered as sufficient ground for Extending the period of limitation? Explain with relevant Case law.
- Q.5 What are the documents required to be compulsorily Registered and also state the effect of non-registration Of these documents ?

UNIT-III

- Q.6 Can an advocate carried out the business activities? Explain With the relevant case laws.
- Q.7 What are the rights of an advocate under The Advocates Act, 1961? Explain in brief with the help of relevant case laws.

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NINTH SEMESTER [LLB] DECEMBER - 2012

Paper Code: LLB 501

Subject: Legal Ethics & Court Craft

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks :75

Note: Part A is compulsory. Attempt one question from each unit in Part B.

Part-A

(5x5=25)

- Q1. (a) Duty of an advocate towards the court
(b) Is will compulsorily registerable? comment
(c) What are the legal disabilities envisaged under the limitation Act.
(d) Restrictions on a Senior Advocate under the Supreme Court Rules
(e) Punishment for professional misconduct

Part-B

Unit-I

(12.5x4=50)

- Q2 Discuss the power of the Supreme Court to review its own judgment.
Or
Q3 Discuss the provisions of Delhi High Court Rules relating to its original civil jurisdiction

Unit-II

- Q4 How can acknowledgement result in the extension of limitation period? Who is authorized to give a valid acknowledgement?
Or

- Q5 State the effects of non-registration of documents requiring compulsory registration. Can they be used for any other purpose?

Unit-III

- Q6 What activities of a lawyer can be stated to the 'Professional Misconduct'. Support your answer with relevant case-law.
Or

- Q7 With reference to case-law state the importance of bench-bar relations.

Unit-IV

- Q8 State the duties of an advocate towards the society and obligation to render legal aid.
Or

- Q9 State the professional duties of an advocate with regard to client, opponent and colleague

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NINETH SEMESTER [LLB], DECEMBER - 2010

Paper Code : LLB 501

Paper Id : 38501

Subject : Legal Ethics and Court Craft

(Batch : 2005)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Note : Question No. 1 in Part-A is compulsory. Attempt any one question each from the FOUR Units in PART-B. Attempt altogether Five Questions.

PART - A

(5×5=25)

- Q.1. Discuss the duties of an advocate towards the court and his client.
- Q.2. "Law of limitation bars the remedy, but does not extinguish the right". Comment.
- Q.3. Write a short note on registration of a document executed out of India.
- Q.4. Discuss briefly the rights of an advocate.
- Q.5. Are there any special powers given to a Single Judge under the Supreme Court Rules? Discuss.

PART - B

(4×12.5=50)

UNIT - I

- Q.6. "When once time has begun to run, no subsequent disability or inability to sue stops it". Explain and illustrate.
- Q.7. (a) What is the effect of non-registration of documents required to be registered under the Registration Act, 1908.
(b) Write a short note on "Documents whose registration is optional".

UNIT - II

- Q.8. (a) Discuss the differences and procedures to become an advocate, an advocate-on-record and a senior advocate.

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(Batch: 2005)

Maximum Marks :75

Note: Part-A is compulsory. Attempt four questions from Part-B selecting one from each unit.

PART-A

(5x5=25)

- Q1 ✓ Distinguish between limitation and prescription.
- Q2 ✓ What are the powers of a Single Judge under Supreme Court Rules?
- Q3 ✓ Discuss briefly the Rights and Privileges of an Advocate.
- Q4 ✓ Discuss the duties of an Advocate towards the Court.
- Q5 ✓ Discuss as to whether a gift deed of a plot valued at Rs. 99 requires compulsory registration or not.

PART-B

(4x12.5=50)

UNIT-I

- Q6 ✓ Discuss the procedure for filing of a petition for the enforcement of the Fundamental Rights in the Supreme Court of India.
- Q7 ✓ Discuss the provisions for execution of Decrees under the Delhi High court Rules.

UNIT-II

- Q8 ✓ What is the effect of non-registration of documents which require compulsory registration under Section 17 of Registration Act? Can an unregistered document which requires compulsory registration be used in evidence for any purpose? Discuss.
- Q9 ✓ The expression "Sufficient cause" used by the legislation in Section 5 of the Limitation Act is adequately elastic to enable the courts to apply the law in a meaningful manner so as to sub-serve the ends of justice. What are the principles which are considered as the foundation of such a liberal approach? Discuss.

UNIT-III

- Q10 ✓ Discuss whether Advocates can go on strike in the light of Law laid down in the "Harish Uppal v. U.O.I, AIR 2003 SC 739".
- Q11 ✓ An advocate shall, at all times comport himself in a manner befitting his status as an officer of the court, a privileged member of the community and a gentleman, bearing in mind that what may be lawful and moral for a person who is not a member of the bar, may still be improper for an Advocate. How far do you agree with this statement? Discuss with the help of relevant cases.

UNIT-IV

- Q12 ✓ "An Advocate shall defend a person accused of a crime regardless of his personal opinion as to the guilt of the accused..." Discuss whether there is conflict in the interest and duty of Advocates.
- Q13 ✓ Differentiate between a profession and a business. Do you think professionals, especially the Advocates, should be allowed to advertise? Discuss giving your own opinion.

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NINTH SEMESTER [LLB(H)] DECEMBER 2007

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Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Part A is compulsory. Attempt any five questions from part-B.

PART-A

Write note on:-

(5x5=25)

- (a) Social duties of an advocate
- (b) Is right to legal profession a fundamental right?
- (c) How to resolve conflict between an advocate's duty to his client and court?
- (d) An advocate's lien on papers of his client.
- (e) Rules of Bar council of India relating to fee of an advocate.

PART-B

Appropriation of client's money by a lawyer is a 'Gross Misconduct'. Elaborate. Is return of misappropriated money by the lawyer an extenuating factor?

(10)

Q3 Explain the scope of expression 'Professional or other misconduct' as used in section 35 of the Advocate Act, 1961.

(10)

Q4 Discuss the law laid down by supreme court of India in:-

(10)

- (a) Dr Haniraj L. Chulani v Bar council of Maharashtra and Goa air 1996 S.C. 1708 OR
- (b) Harish Uppal V. Union of India Air 2003 S.C 739

Q5 Discuss the scope of the provision relating to appeal incorporated in section 38 of the Advocates act. Also refer to judicial decisions.

(10)

Q6 What are duties of an advocate towards the court? Discuss with the help of bar council of India rules and decided cases.

(10)

Q7 Discuss the nature of lawyer client relationship.

(10)

Q8 A lawyer's appearance before a relative judge is violative of the principle 'Justice should not be done but should also be seen to be done'. Elaborate and examine.

(10)

Q9 Rule 36 of the bar council of India inter-alia provides 'that an advocate shall not solicit work or advertise'. Examine critically.

(10)