



BA. LL. B SEMESTER III EXAMINATION OCTOBER 2016.

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW – I

Duration : 3 hours

Max Marks : 75

Instructions: (i) Answer any eight from Q No. 1 to 12 (8 x 8 = 64 marks)
(ii) Question No. 13 and 14 are compulsory
(iii) Substantiate your answers with relevant case law

1. Explain the significance of Preamble of the Indian Constitution
2. Freedom of speech and expression is inclusive of freedom of the press – Discuss
3. Analyse the judgments leading to an expanded meaning of 'State' under Article 12
4. Examine the new concept of equality under Article 14 which made it possible to challenge government action on the ground of arbitrariness
5. Discuss the extended meaning of "life and personal liberty" under Article 21 with special reference to rights of prisoners.
6. Analyse the right to freedom of religion in India
7. Examine the protection of right against exploitation under Art.23 and 24 of the Constitution
8. Critically analyse reservation of seats in educational institutions under Article 15
9. Examine the rights of religious and linguistic minorities to establish educational institutions
10. Examine the limitation on the power of parliament to amend the Constitution
11. Discuss the jurisdiction and power of the Supreme Court under Article 32
12. Though Directive Principles are unenforceable, they are nevertheless important in the governance of the country. Discuss the relationship between fundamental rights and directive principles.
13. Write notes on any two (3 x 2 = 6)
 - a) Right against self incrimination
 - b) Double jeopardy
 - c) Untouchability
14. Write notes on any two (2 ½ x 2 = 5)
 - a) Right to education
 - b) Doctrine of severability
 - c) Doctrine of eclipse.
