

B.A.L.L.B. (Semester – VI) Examination, April 2017
MINOR PAPER BII (HISTORY)

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

- Instructions :** 1) Answer **any 8** questions from 1 to 12.
2) Question No. 13 and 14 are **compulsory**.
3) Figures to the **right** indicate marks per question.

1. State and explain the political conditions in North India before 1206. **(8×8=64)**
2. Discuss the reforms undertaken by Ala-ud-din Khilji in the military and economic field.
3. Review the origin and the tenants of Bhakti Movement.
4. Elaborate on the reforms of Sher Shah Sur.
5. Write a short note on development in the agriculture and industry in Medieval India.
6. Critically evaluate the provincial system of Delhi Sultanate.
7. What were the main features of the Mansabdari system ?
8. State the factors that gave rise to the Bahamani Empire in the Deccan.
9. "Krishnadevaraya exalted the Vijayanagar empire to its Zenith". Comment.
10. Evaluate the religious policy of Akbar.
11. Discuss the factors that led to the discovery of the sea route to India.
12. Comment on the impact of Islam on Indian culture with regards to the food, dress and position of women.
13. Write short notes on **any two** : **(3×2=6)**
 - a) Advent of the Portuguese in India.
 - b) Guru Nanak.
 - c) Third battle of Panipat.
14. Write short notes on **any two** : **(2.5×2=5)**
 - a) Medieval art.
 - b) Slavery in medieval India.
 - c) Provincial administration during the Peshwa.