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LAW OF TORTS

Duration: 3 hours Total Marks: 75

Instructions: 1) Answer any eight questions from Q. No. 1 to 12

 $(8 \times 8 = 64)$

- 2) Q. No. 13 and Q.No. 14 are compulsory
- 3) Marks are indicated to the right.
- 1. Define the term tort and explain the Pigeon Hole theory and Open chain link theory.
- 2. Discuss the following defences under Law of torts
 - a) Plaintiff the wrongdoer

- b) inevitable accident.
- When two or more persons commit some tort against the same plaintiff they may be either Independent tort feasors or joint tort feasors. Explain
- 4. Discuss the following under the principle of Vicarious Liability
 - a) Doctrine of Common Employment

- b) Principal and Agent.
- 5. Explain the test of reasonable foresight and test of directness.
- 6. Discuss the following torts against persons
 - a) Battery

- b) False Imprisonment.
- 7. What are the defences available against the tort of Defamation?
- 8. Nuisance as a tort means an unlawful interference with a person's use or enjoyment of land? Explain the essentials and kinds of Nuisance.
- 9. Explain the tort of Malicious Prosecution.
- 10. What is contributory negligence? State the rules to determine Contributory Negligence.
- 11. Explain the rule of strict liability as laid down in the case of Rylands v/s Fletcher.
- 12. Explain the term Deficiency of Service under Consumer Protection Act 1986 with relevant case laws.
- 13. Write short notes on any two

(2x3=6)

- a. Nervous shock
- b. Remedies for trespass to land
- c. Conversion
- 14. Write short notes on any two of the following

 $(2 \times 2 \frac{1}{2} = 5)$

- a. Passing off
- b. Res ipsa loquitur
- c. Rescue cases as an exception to volenti non fit injuria
