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CERTIFICATE IN INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW (CIHL)

Term-End Examination

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BLE-037 : IHL, ISSUES OF CONCERN IN SOUTH ASIA

Time : 3 Hours Maximum Marks : 100

Note: This question paper is divided into three Parts– A, B and C. All the Parts are compulsory.

Part-A

Note : Write short notes on any four of the following in 150 words each. Each question carries 5 marks 4×5=20

- 1. Protected Emblems
- 2. Treatment of Minorities in South Asia
- 3. Civilian objects and Military objects
- 4. Role of students in creating awareness about IHL
- 5. International Criminal Court

Part–B

- Note: Attempt any five questions in about 300 words each. Each question carries 10 marks. 5×10=50
- 6. Critically evaluate the application of IHL to the ethnic conflict in Sri Lanka.
- Explain the role of United Nations General Assembly in the promotion and protection of IHL principles.
- Discuss the refugee problem in South Asia.
 Explain the role played by UNHCR in addressing this issue.
- Discuss the International Humanitarian Law principles prohibiting the use of child soldiers in armed conflicts.
- 10. What is the justification advanced by India in favour of Non-ratification of Additional Protocol II of 1977 ?
- 11. In there any interface between Hindu religion and IHL ? Discuss.

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 Describe the issues involved in the application of IHL relating to the armed conflicts in Pakistan.

Part-C

Note : Attempt any two of the following questions in about 500 words each. Each question carries 15 marks. 2×15=30

- 13. Discuss the provisions under the Indian Constitution which provide the basis for the application of IHL in India.
- 14. Critically analyse the role played by the Indian Judiciary in the application on IHL principles.
- 15. Discuss the challenges faced by International Committee of Red Cross (ICRC) in implementation of IHL conventions during the armed conflict in Afghanistan.
- 16. Discuss the historical and traditional role played by the Asia in the evolution of International Humanitarian Law.

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