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

PART A

Answer any **two** of the following questions in about 600 words each. Each question carries 20 marks. 2×20=40

- 1. Discuss the role of UNHCR in providing protection to the refugees in South Asia.
- 2. Analyse the IHL principles found in Hindu, Buddhist, Islamic and Christian traditions. How have they contributed to the development of modern IHL principles?
- 3. Enlist the various allegations made against the armed forces for violation of IHL principles in South Asia. What are the responsibilities of the State parties under the Geneva Convention, 1949 for the training of the armed forces in IHL?
- 4. Critically analyse the IHL issues involved in the application of IHL principles during armed conflicts in Sri Lanka.

PART B

Answer any **four** of the following questions in about 300 words each. Each question carries 10 marks. 4×10=40

- **5.** Who are military advisers? Discuss their role in the implementation of IHL.
- **6.** Who are called Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)? How are they protected under IHL?
- 7. Discuss the significance of the study of IHL in South Asia.
- 8. State the reasons put forward by India in not ratifying the International Criminal Court's Statute of 1998.
- 9. Discuss the role of National Red Cross Committees in the implementation of IHL.
- 10. Discuss the issues involved in the application of IHL in the prevailing conditions of Pakistan.

PART C

Answer all the **ten** questions in about 50 words each. Each question carries 2 mark. $10\times2=20$

- 11. Ratification of IHL treaties by Bangladesh
- 12. Domestic ameliorative mechanism
- 13. Protection of emblem
- 14. Islam and IHL
- 15. ICRC and ratification of IHL Conventions
- 16. Customary IHL
- 17. Determination of refugee status
- 18. IHL Conventions and Maldives
- 19. Armed conflicts and protection of minorities
- 20. IHL and Nepal