

**DIPLOMA IN PARALEGAL PRACTICE  
(DIPP)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2013**

**BLE-003 : LAW AND VULNERABLE GROUPS**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

**PART - A**

Attempt *any two* of the following questions in about **600** words. Each question carries **20** marks.  
**2x20=40**

1. Discuss the salient features of the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961.
2. What constitutes the Right to Education under the Indian Constitution ?
3. Discuss the important provisions under the Persons with Disabilities (equal opportunities, protection of rights and full participation) Act, 1995 which provide for the identification and reservation of posts for persons with disabilities. Discuss with the help of relevant cases.
4. Discuss the various forms of untouchability that are punishable under the Protection of Civil Rights Act, 1955. Explain with illustrations.

## PART - B

Attempt *any four* of the following questions in about **300** words. Each question carries **10** marks.

**4×10=40**

5. Discuss the important provisions of the Mental Health Act, 1987.
6. Explain the role of Judiciary in interpreting the Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act, 1976.
7. Discuss the development of the Juvenile Justice System in India.
8. Describe the **Vishaka** case guidelines pertaining to sexual harassment.
9. Discuss the fundamental guarantees for women provided under the convention for the elimination of all forms of discrimination against women (CEDAW).
10. Discuss the constitutional protection available to the Tribes.

## PART - C

Attempt *any four* of the following questions in about **150** words. Each question carries **5** marks.

Explain in brief, the following : **4x5=20**

11. Mens rea.
  12. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan
  13. Mr. Badam Singh Vs. Union of India.
  14. Maternity Benefit Act, 1961
  15. Critical issues in Rape laws.
  16. Observation Homes.
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