# CERTIFICATE IN INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW (CIHL)

00481

## Term-End Examination

June, 2014

**BLE-035: UNDERSTANDING IHL** 

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

### PART - I

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

- 1. What is International Humanitarian Law? How far it has been successful in minimising hostilities during armed conflict? Discuss.
- 2. What is the Rule of Distinction? Discuss its significance in the International Humanitarian Law.
- 3. Discuss the Rules of Protection of Prisoners of War.
- 4. What are the protected persons and objects in International Humanitarian Law? How they are protected? Discuss.

### PART - II

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

5. Discuss the main features of the Geneva Convention for the protection of civilians.

- **6.** What is meant by the 'Grave Breeches' of IHL? Discuss.
- 7. Discuss the proper principles to the victims of conflicts.
- 8. What is relationship of IHL with International Criminal Law ? Explain.
- 9. What is Individual and Collective Self Defence? Discuss the grounds on which it is available under Article 51 of the UN charter.
- **10.** Discuss the main sources of International Humanitarian Law.

#### PART - III

Write a short notes on all the following questions in about 50 words. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Neutrality
- 12. Non Discrimination
- 13. Rational Loci
- 14. Sources of International Law
- 15. Protected Emblems
- 16. Non International Armed Conflict
- 17. Right of Asylum
- 18. International Committee of Red Cross
- **19.** Rule of Proportionality
- 20. Internally Displaced Persons