

DIPLOMA IN PARALEGAL PRACTICE

Term-End Examination

June, 2010

**BLE-001 : INTRODUCTION TO THE LEGAL
SYSTEM**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

PART - A

Answer *any two* of the following questions in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks :

1. What is rule of law ? How has this principle been incorporated in the Indian Constitution ?
2. What are Fundamental Rights ? Discuss in brief the various fundamental rights enshrined in the constitution of India.
3. What is right to constitutional remedies ? Discuss the nature and scope of five writs available for the enforcement of fundamental rights.
4. What are human rights ? Discuss the role of Judiciary in the promotion and protection of human rights.

PART - B

Answer *any four* of the following questions in about 250 words. Each question carries 10 marks :

5. Briefly describe the six freedoms provided under Article 19 of the constitution of India. Are these freedoms absolute ? Explain.
6. Describe the important directive principles of state policy. Can these principles be enforced by the courts of Law ?
7. What is legal aid ? Discuss the main features of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987.
8. Discuss the rights of cultural and linguistic minorities under the Constitution of India.
9. Discuss the right to information and Central Information Commission (CIC) ?
10. What is meant by the term 'legislation' ? Describe the law making procedure of the Parliament.

PART - C

Answer *any* of the *four* questions in about 100 words. Each carries 5 marks :

11. Democracy
 12. Public Interest Litigation
 13. Doctrine of separation of powers
 14. Supreme Court
 15. Informal Dispute Resolution
 16. Mandamus
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