POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN LEGAL PROCESS OUTSOURCING (PGDLPO)

Term-End Examination

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PGDLPO-02: PAPER II

NOTE: This paper is to be attempted by students enrolled for January 2009 batch only.

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

This paper Covers the courses MLEI-05 to MLEI-08 Part A consists of objective questions. Each question is of 2 marks. All questions are compulsory. Part-B consists of descriptive questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

PART - A

- Which of the following must be present in order for a court to hear a case in the United States?
 20x2=40
 - (a) Diversity Jurisdiction
 - (b) Physical Presence
 - (c) Personal Jurisdiction
 - (d) Alienage Jurisdiction

- **2.** All of the following are methods of serving process EXCEPT:
 - (a) Personal Service
 - (b) Substituted Service
 - (c) Delivery to Defendant's employee authorized to appear in court for defendant.
 - (d) Delivery to Defendant's Agent authorized to receive service.
- 3. The only one of the following that must be included in the complaint is:
 - (a) Arguments
- (b) Relief Sought
- (c) Legalese
- (d) Admissions
- 4. An impleader action involves:
 - (a) The defendant making a counter-claim against the plaintiff.
 - (b) The defendant making a claim against a co-defendant.
 - (c) The defendant making a cross-claim against the plaintiff.
 - (d) The defendant joining a 3rd party as a defendant.
- 5. What is the standard of lawyering expected from you as an LPO professional?
 - (a) International standards for lawyering
 - (b) Standards of conduct as set out by the Bar Council of India.
 - (c) U.S Standards of lawyering
 - (d) Paralegal standards

- **6.** Identify the error free sentence from among the following.
 - (a) We exercise jurisdiction pursuant to 28 USC. § 1291 and 2253 and undertake plenary review of the judgement of the District Court.
 - (b) We exercise jurisdiction pursuant to 28 USC § 1291 and 2253 and undertake plenery review of the judgement of the District Court.
 - (c) We exercise jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1291 and 2253 and under take plenary review of the judgement of the District Court.
 - (d) We exercise junsisdiction to 28 U.S.C. § 1291 and 2253 and, undertake plenary review of the judgement of the District Court.
- 7. Which of the following is NOT one of the suggested strategies for preparing for job interview:
 - (a) Conduct research on the Company/
 Industry
 - (b) Prepare answers to possible interview questions.
 - (c) Gather key resources (extra resumes, reference list) to take with you.
 - (d) Plan to ask about salary and benefits at the beginning of the interview.

- 8. As soon as you get back from the interview, you should:
 - (a) Put your feet up and relax, knowing you did a great interview
 - (b) Spend hours kicking yourself for some poor answers you gave
 - (c) Immediately fire off thank you letters to each person who interviewed with you.
 - (d) Quit your current job in anticipation of a new job offer.
- 9. I want to be here because I like my life and this city _____ the same time, I want to travel and explore new lands. I don't know what to do.
 - (a) At (b) For (c) By (d) To
- **10.** Where does the word "communication" originate from and what does it mean?
 - (a) Latin Meaning to share or impart
 - (b) German Meaning knowledge
 - (c) French Meaning to listen
 - (d) Greek Meaning to communicate
- **11.** Which one of the following statements is TRUE about passive voice?
 - (a) We use the passive when we don't need to say who did the action.
 - (b) Passive sentences are the worst form of writing in English
 - (c) Sentences in the passive form make reading boring.
 - (d) We use the passive voice only if we know who did the action.

- **12.** Which one of the following statements is FALSE about direct speech?
 - (a) Direct speech always appears within quotation marks (".....")
 - (b) Direct speech is something called quoted speech.
 - (c) Indirect speech, the pronoun often changes.
 - (d) Direct speech is informal than the direct one.
- **13.** Choose the sentence that is written without any error.
 - (a) It was me who prepared the document.
 - (b) It was they who informed the police.
 - (c) Either him or me will do the preliminary investigation.
 - (d) Entering the darkened room, his eyes slowly adjust to the dimness.
- **14.** Which one of the following statements is TRUE regarding not taking?
 - (a) Good notes need to be organized efficiently
 - (b) Good note can be practiced by adopting one point after another, using numbers and letters.
 - (c) Good notes can be arranged in order of importance.
 - (i) a and b (ii) Except c
 - (iii) only a (iv) All of the above

- 15. Identify the option that corrects the problem in the original sentence. Despite their lucky escape, Jason and his brother could not hardly enjoy themselves.
 - (a) Jason and his brother could not hardly enjoy themselves.
 - (b) Jason and his brother could not enjoy themselves.
 - (c) Jason and Jason's brother could not hardly enjoy themselves
 - (d) Jason and his brother could not enjoy them.
- **16.** Which of the following is not a primary authority?
 - (a) Zahira Habibulla Vs. State of Gujarat
 - (b) UN convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
 - (c) The Indian contract, Act, 1872
 - (d) Text on the contract Act by Dr. Avatar Singh.
- 17. Which of the following statements about Secondary Authorities is not true?
 - (a) They refer to literature that interprets or explains primary authorities.
 - (b) They may be compelling enough to be a basis for a judgement
 - (c) They offer equally binding support for legal arguments as do primary sources.
 - (d) V.N. Shukla's "Constitution of India" is a secondary authority.

- **18.** Which Article of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights relates to the contemporary significance of privacy?
 - (a) Article 13
- (b) Article 21
- (c) Article 12
- (d) Article 24
- **19.** Which of the following statement regarding privacy is not true?
 - (a) The Right to Privacy has been recognised in both the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the United Nations International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.
 - (b) In India, the Right to Privacy is a constitutional right.
 - (c) Almost all the advanced legal systems today have conferred constitutional recognition of the Right to Privacy .
 - (d) The Right to Privacy of an individual needs to be given priority over the interest of the public in general.
- 20. A document is said to be "petrified" when:
 - (a) When copies of documents are printed
 - (b) Document's password is protected to prevent making changes.
 - (c) The document is converted from its native format to static image formats, such as tiff and jpeg files.
 - (d) The documents are converted from static image formats, such as tiff and jpeg files to their native format.

PART - B

Attempt *any 4* questions. Each question carries **15** marks. **4x15=60**

- 1. Discuss parts of the federal civil litigation process with reference to US civil litigation system with the help of examples and illustrations.
- 2. Describe different types of Partnerships with short explanations on each type.
- 3. Draft a covering letter to Sreedhan legal company for the position of contracts specialist that is available in Delhi, India?
- 4. Differentiate between note taking and note making and list out a new tips for effective note taking.
- 5. Write a note on ESI and scope of Discovery under Rules 26 (b)(1) and Rule 26 (b)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.