

**CERTIFICATE IN INTERNATIONAL
HUMANITARIAN LAW (CIHL)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2012

BLE-035 : UNDERSTANDING IHL

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

PART-1

Attempt *any two* of the following questions. The answer should *not* exceed **600** words. Each question carries **20** marks.

1. Explain the origin and development of the International Refugee Law.
2. What is meant by the expression Grave Breaches of IHL ? Discuss the provisions of Geneva Conventions and protocols relating to International and non - International armed conflict.
3. What is the rule of proportionality ? Examine the Linkage between the doctrine of military necessity and principle of proportionality.
4. What do you mean by Chemical and Biological Weapons ? Discuss the main features of the Geneva protocol 1925 relating to regulation of chemical weapons.

PART - 2

Attempt *any four* of the following questions. The answer should not exceed **300** words. Each question carries **10** marks.

5. Explain the concept of just war.
6. Explain the meaning of combatants and Non - combatants.
7. Explain the conceptual similarities between the Human Rights Law and the Humanitarian Law in the present day context.
8. Explain briefly the concept of Asylum.
9. Discuss the role of law in the development of society.
10. Analyse the role of International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) in the protection of International Humanitarian Law.

PART - 3

Attempt *all ten* of the following questions. The answer should not exceed 50 words. Each question carries 2 marks.

11. Who is a spy ?
 12. Explain jus in bello
 13. Explain the right to self Defence.
 14. Explain the principle of Human treatment.
 15. Define the term 'Genocide' as defined by the Rome statute.
 16. International armed conflict.
 17. Define International Humanitarian Law.
 18. Lieber code
 19. Name any two treaties under the IHL.
 20. What do you mean by the expression 'Rational Loci' ?
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