CERTIFICATE IN INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW (CIHL)

Term-End Examination December, 2010

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. What do you mean by the term 'LAW'? Discuss also the process of making Law.
- 2. Discuss the concept of Occupied Territory. What rights does the occupying power have regarding property and natural resources in the Occupied Territory?
- 3. Highlight the importance of the Rule of Distinction in the context of Modern International Humanitarian Law. How far the Additional Protocols of 1977 to Geneva Conventions 1949 reflect the Spirit of Rule of Distinction?
- 4. Discuss the protection available to wounded, sick and shipwrecked military personnel in war at Sea.

PART-2

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

- 5. Discuss the various sources of International Law.
- 6. How the various cultural/religious traditions influenced the development of modern International Humanitarian Law in the twentieth century? Discuss.
- 7. Discuss the right of Self Defence under article 51 of the U.N. Charter.
- 8. Explain the Law applicable to the Non International Armed Conflict.
- Examine the various treaties concerning the regulations of Chemical and Biological Weapons.
- **10.** Define the term alien. How they are protected under International Humanitarian Law?

PART-3

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

- 11. IHL and Human Rights Law.
- 12. IHL and Refugee Law.
- 13. Martin's Clause.
- 14. Distinctive emblems.
- **15.** Protecting Powers.
- 16. ICRC.
- 17. Prisoners of War.
- 18. Levee en Masse.
- **19.** Principle of Neutrality.
- 20. Grave breach of IHR.