

**DIPLOMA IN PARALEGAL PRACTICE**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2010**

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**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 do you mean by the term 'Constitution' ? Discuss the main features of the Indian Constitution.
2. What is Public Interest Litigation (PIL) ? Analyse some of the landmark judgements which enlarged the scope of Fundamental Rights ?
3. What are human rights ? Discuss the main features of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993 ?
4. Discuss the main provisions of the Right to Information (RTI) Act, 2005 ?

## PART - B

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

5. What do you understand by the term 'executive' ? Distinguish between political and administrative executive.
6. Analyse the right to equality under the Constitution of India.
7. What is meant by the term 'democracy' ? Explain the distinction between direct and indirect democracy ?
8. Discuss the Freedom of Religion under the Constitution of India.
9. Discuss the main characteristics of the Lok Adalat System ?
10. Discuss the Constitution and Jurisdiction of the High Courts in India.

## **PART - C**

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

11. Fundamental Duties
  12. Right against exploitation
  13. Habeas Corpus
  14. Federalism
  15. Special Leave Petition (SLP)
  16. Subordinate Courts
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