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CONSTITUTIONAL LAW-I

Paper : 103

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer any five questions.

1. The Indian Constitution is neither Purely Federal nor Unitary, but a combination of both. It is a union or composite state of Novel type. Discuss. 16
2. Discuss critically the provisions of the constitution regarding alteration of boundaries of existing states and creation of new states. 16

3. What do you understand by the term Fundamental Rights ? Do they have similar status with that of the Directive Principles of State Policy as enshrined in the Constitution of India ? Illustrate. 16

4. "No person shall be deprived of his life or personal liberty except according to procedure established by Law." Elucidate the statement with special reference to the concept of life. 16

5. Explain fully, the powers of the High Court to issue writs. In what respect the writ power of High Court differ from those of Supreme Court. 16

6. Explain the following : (*any two*) 8+8=16

(i) "Council of Ministers are collectively responsible to the House of the people"

(ii) "Prime minister is the Key Stone of the cabinet arch"

(iii) "Doctrine of Double Jeopardy"

7. What is a Bill ? Discuss the procedure for passing of a Money Bill. 16

8. Write short notes on :

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(a) Doctrine of Eclipse

(b) Fundamental Duties

(c) Supremacy of the Constitution

(d) Ex-post Facto Law.

9. Discuss the exception to the provision for equality of opportunity in the matter of public employment.

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