

End Semester/Reappear (Semester I) Examination December 2022

Programme: B.A LL.B

Course: Contract I

Course Code: 24F.105

Enrollment No: _____

Full Marks: 70

Time: 3 Hrs.

Section I

1. Short Answer type questions. Answer any four.

4 x 5 = 20

- a. All contracts are agreements but all agreements are not contracts''. Comment.
- b. Outline the Principles laid down in Doctrine of Frustration.
- c. What distinguishes a contract from a quasi-contract?
- d. Write short note on: i. Contingent Contract ii. Agreement by way of wager
- e. Is the minor contract void or voidable? Explain.
- f. Describe both general and specific offers in a brief note.

Section II

Long Answer type questions. Answer any three.

3 x 10 = 30

2. Explain acceptance. Review the criteria for a proper acceptance using illustrative examples.
3. Discuss the legal implications of a contract signed by a "Minor" in light of the Contract Act of 1872.
4. Illustrate the differences between a wagering agreement and a contingent contract.
5. Write short notes on :
 - a. Rule in Hadley v/s Baxendale.
 - b. Liquidated damages and penalty.
6. Ram's son was missing. His servant went in search of the boy. Subsequently Ram declared a reward of Rs. 3, 00,000 to anyone who finds his son. His servant though not aware of the reward finds his son. Can the servant claim the reward?

Section III

Application based questions. Answer any one.

1 x 20 = 20

7. What is consent? What conditions exactly make consent deemed to be free? What is the result of non-free consent?
8. Explain consideration. Give examples of where the proviso that a commitment is void if there is no consideration for it applies.
9. Explain the following in brief:
 - a. Rectification
 - b. Revocation
 - c. Liquidated damages
 - d. Novation
 - e. Mistake of fact
