

LL.B. (3-Year Course) Odd Semester Exam., 2016

LAW

(New Course)

(1st Semester)

Course No. : LLB (3)-105 (N)

(Interpretation of Statutes)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

The questions are of equal value

Answer **one** question from each Unit

UNIT—I

1. Explain the meaning, object and purpose of interpretation of statutes.
2. What are the different processes of interpretation of statutes. Distinguish between interpretation and construction.

UNIT—II

3. What are 'presumption' and 'consideration' in interpretation of statutes? Discuss with examples.
4. What is a Maxim in interpretation of statutes? Explain the rule of Ejusdem generis.

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the rules of interpretation, giving special emphasis on plain and ordinary meaning rule.
6. What are the kinds of construction? Explain.

UNIT—IV

7. Discuss the different aids to construction. Explain the role of marginal note in construction.
8. Write a note on the external aids to construction. How do historical facts and surrounding circumstances play an important role in construction?

UNIT—V

9. What do you understand by prospective and retrospective operations of a statute? Discuss with examples.
10. Discuss how the operation of a statute affect the jurisdiction of courts.
