

PG/UG (CBCS) ODD SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2022**LAW**3rd Semester

COURSE NO. LLM. – 301(C)

(Interpretation of Statutes)

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 30

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions**Answer any five questions, taking one from each unit*

Unit-I

1. Discuss the principles and methods adopted in the process of drafting of a statute. 15
2. Discuss the object and scope of interpretation. "The legislature composes the music of law and the judiciary plays it"- Elucidate. 15

Unit-II

3. Discuss the general principles of interpretation of statutes with reference to various rules of interpretation. 15

4. A rule of Construction was laid down in the famous Heydon's case way back in the year 1584. Discuss the rule with an example. 15

Unit-III

5. Discuss the various rules of construction while interpretation of a statute. 15
6. What is beneficial construction? Discuss its objects and scope for benefit of the society? 15

Unit-IV

7. What are the various internal aids recognised and applied in interpretation of statutes? Discuss. 15
8. Legislative History is an external aid to construction/ interpretation.- Comment. 15

Unit-V

9. Explain the construction of a taxing statute referring to the decided cases. 15
10. The Supreme Court has applied liberal or beneficent construction to many remedied statutes. Comment. 15

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