

# PUNJABI UNIVERSITY, PATIALA

## SYLLABUS

BACHELOR OF LAWS PART-V (NINTH & TENTH SEMESTER)  
(FIVE YEARS COURSE)  
FOR 2025-2026, 2026-2027, 2027-2028 SESSION  
SCHEME OF STUDIES

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### NINTH SEMESTER

		Univ. Exam	Int. Exam	Max. Marks
Paper-I	Civil Procedure Code and Limitation Act	74	26	100
Paper-II	Alternative Dispute Resolution and Legal Aid	74	26	100
Paper-III	Moot Court Participation and Seminar-I	-	-	100*
Paper-IV	Option: Any one of the following: a) Criminology, Penology and Victimology b) Intellectual Property Law c) Probation, Parole and Prison Administration	74	26	100
Paper: V	Option: Any one of the following: a) Private International Law b) Human Rights Law and Practice c) Offences against Child and Juvenile Offence	74	26	100

### TENTH SEMESTER

		Univ. Exam	Int. Exam	Max. Marks
Paper-I	Clinical Legal Education and Internship	-	-	100*
Paper-II	Law of Registration, Specific Relief and Court Fee	74	26	100
Paper-III	Option: Any one of the following: a) Law on Infrastructure Development b) Law of Equity, Trust and Religious Endowments c) Forensic Science and Law	74	26	100
Paper-IV	Option: Any one of the following: a) Interpretation of Statutes b) Competition Law c) White Collar Crime	74	26	100
Paper: V	Option: Any one of the following: a) Local Law b) Co-operative Law c) Direct Taxation	74	26	100

\* Paper- : Moot Court Participation and Seminar-I &  
Moot Court Participation and Seminar-II are of 100 marks i.e.

Moot Courts (Every Student will give presentation at two  
moot court with 30 marks each) = 60 marks

Court Visit = 20 marks

Seminar = 20 marks

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**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER**

**SETTER FOR ALL THE PAPERS**

1. The maximum marks for each paper are 74 and the time allowed is 3 hours.
2. The minimum number of marks required to pass each paper shall be 45% in University Examination and 45% in University Examination and Internal Assessment taken together.

The question paper will consist of three units: I, II and III. Unit I and II will have four questions from respective units of the syllabus and will carry 11 marks each. Unit III will consist of 10 short-answer type question, which will cover the entire syllabus uniformly and will carry 30 marks in all Internal exams marks for each paper are 26 which includes 05 marks of Attendance, 11 marks of Written Assignment/Project Work etc. and 10 marks for Two Mid- Semester Tests/Internal Examination.

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**Paper I : Civil Procedure Code and Limitation Act**

**Unit - I**

Substantive and Procedural Law, Nature of Code of Civil Procedure and its scheme, Meaning of Suit and its essentials ; jurisdiction of Courts to try suit of a civil nature unless barred ; objections to jurisdiction.

General Conditions of Res Judicata, Matters directly and substantially in issue, Constructive Res Judicata, Res Judicata and Res Subjudice, Res Judicata and Estoppel, Res Judicata between co-defendants and co-plaintiffs.

Conclusiveness of Foreign Judgment, its enforcement and execution, Place of suing, Representative suit, Split of cause of action and Res Judicata.

Issue and service of Summons to defendants, Injunctions (Order 39 Rule 1 and 2), summons to witnesses, dismissal of suit for default, Exparte proceedings, setting aside exparte decree, difference between Decree and Order.

Suit by or against Government or Public Officer, Interpleader Suit, Suit by an Indigent person, Special case, suit relating to public nuisance and public charities, abatement and its effect ; suit by or against minors and persons of unsound mind, compromise by next friend or guardian.

Nature of right of appeal, difference between appeal, reference and Review

Concept of Execution, Who may apply for execution and against whom execution may be sought; Definition of court which passed a decree, transfer of decree for execution (Section 36-42 & Order XXI)

Precept (Section 46) ; Scope of Section 47 ; Execution against transferees and legal representatives (Sections 49-50) ; Stay of execution (Order XXI, rules 26-29)

**Unit - II**

Modes of execution (Sections 51-54) ; Arrest and Detention (Sections 55-59, Order XXI, rules 37-40)

Attachment of Property in execution of a decree; non-attachment property; transfer of property and attachment (Sections 60-64); Objections to attachment (Order XXI, rules 58-59)

General procedure for sale of attached property (Order XXI rules 64-69); who cannot bid at sale (Order XXI rules 72, 72A, 73); Sale and resale of immovable property in execution (order XXI, rules 82-87)

Setting aside and confirmation of execution of sale (Order XXI 89-94); Rateable distribution of Assets (Section-73); Resistance to delivery possession in execution and remedies (Section 74, order XXI, rules 97-106)

The Limitation Act

Definitions

Limitation of Suits, Appeal and Applications

Computation of Period of Limitation

Acquisition of Ownership by Possession

**Suggested Readings**

Mulla	:	Code of Civil Procedure
A.N. Saha	:	Code of Civil Procedure
Mitra	:	Law of Limitations
Avtar Singh	:	Limitation Act
Justice P.S. Narayana	:	Code of Civil Procedure (2nd Edn.)
Dr. Paramjeet Kaur	:	Code of Civil Procedure

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## Paper - II : Alternative Disputes Resolution & Legal Aid

### Unit-I

The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996

- Definitions
- Form of Arbitration Agreement
- Constituents of Arbitration Agreement
- Composition of Arbitral Tribunal
- Removal of arbitrator
- Termination of Mandate and substitution of Arbitration
- Setting aside of arbitral award
- Enforcement of award

The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996

- Scope of Conciliation
- Appointment of Conciliators
- Role of Conciliator
- Settlement agreement
- Status and effect of settlement agreement
- Confidentiality
- Termination of Conciliation proceedings
- Resort to arbitral or Judicial proceedings
- Difference between Conciliation and Mediation
- Distinction between Mediation and Arbitration

### Unit-II

Alternative Means of Settlement of Disputes

- Merits of ADR
- Demerits of ADR
- Negotiation
- Essential Ingredients of Negotiation
- Sources of Negotiation
- Kinds of approaches to negotiation
- Obstructions to Negotiation
- Lok- Adalats & Legal Aid
- Concept of Lok-Adalat
- Establishment of Lok-Adalats
- Jurisdiction of Lok-Adalats
- Powers of the Lok-Adalats
- Award of the Lok-Adalats
- Legal Aid under Constitution of India, 1950
- Free Legal Services under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987



**Books Recommended:**

- Dr. Avtar Singh, Law of Arbitration & Conciliation  
S.C. Tripathi, Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996  
Dr. N.V. Paranjape, Arbitration & Alternative Dispute Resolution  
Dr. S.S. Mishra, Law of Arbitration & Conciliation in India  
N.V. Paranjape, Public Interest Litigation, Legal Aid & Services, Lok Adalats & Para-Legal Services  
S.S. Mishra, Legal Services, Public Interest Litigation and Para-Legal Services
- The Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 (Bare Act)
  - The Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (Bare Act)
- Dr. Anupam Kulwal, An Introduction to ADR - A text book for Indian Law Students, Centre Law Publication (2011).

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**Paper-III : Moot-Court Exercise and Internship**

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attendance on different days in the Court assignment).



**Option: Any one of the following:**

**Paper-IV Option (a) : Criminology, Penology & Victimology**

**Unit-I**

Meaning, Nature, Scope and Objectives of Criminology, its relationship with criminal law and other social sciences.

Schools of Criminology: Pre-classical school, Classical School, Neo-Classical School, Positive School, Clinical School, Sociological School

Crime Causation: Physiological, Psychological and Sociological, Economic, Mental, Family and Mass Media

Penology: Meaning, Definition and Scope

Concept and Necessity of Punishment

Theories of Punishment: Retributive theory, Deterrent theory, Preventive and Reformatory theory

Capital Punishment - constitutionality of capital punishment, judicial approach towards death penalty.

**Unit-II**

Meaning & Scope of Victimology

Types of Victims of Crime

Rights of the Victims of Crime

Provisions regarding Compensation to the Victims of Crime under Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita and Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita

Compensation under Probation of Offences Act.

Compensation to Victim under Motor Vehicle Act

Common Law regarding Compensation in Tort and Civil Law

Judicial trends in Compensatory Jurisprudence

Recommendations of Justice Malimath Committee with respect to compensation to victims of Crime.

**Suggested Readings**

1. Sutherland E. & Cressy : Principles of Criminology
2. Siddique, A. : Criminology : Problems & Perspectives
3. Paranjape, N.V. : Criminology and Penology
4. Sirohi, J.P.S. : Criminology & Penology

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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW - PAPER IV (b)

B.A. LL. B FIVE-YEAR LAW

5<sup>TH</sup> YEAR 9<sup>TH</sup> SEM

UNIT -1

Development and justification for Intellectual Property Laws

IPR: Meaning and Scope

International perspective: Meaning and Objectives of Paris Convention, 1883, Patent Cooperation Treaty, 1970, Trips Agreement

The Copyright Act, 1957:

Works protected under Copyright Act (sec-13)

Registration (sec 44)

Ownership of Copyright (sec 17,18 and 19)

Rights conferred by Copyright (sec 14)

Infringement and Remedies.

UNIT-2

The Trade Marks Act, 1999:

Trade Mark: Definition, meaning

Registration (sec 18, 19, 20,21,22 and 23)

Grounds for Refusal of Registration (sec 9 and 11)

Infringement and Remedies (sec 29)

Passing off

The Patents Act, 1970:

Patentable and non-patentable subject matter (sec 3)

Process of obtaining a patent (sec 6- 13)

Revocation of patent (sec 64 and 66)

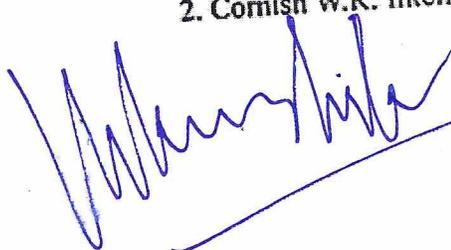
Compulsory Licensing

Infringement and Remedies

Suggested books:

1. Claudy Op den Kamp, Dan Hunter, A History of Intellectual Property in 50 Objects, Cambridge University, 2019.

2. Cornish W.R: Intellectual Property Law, Sweet and Maxwell, 1999.



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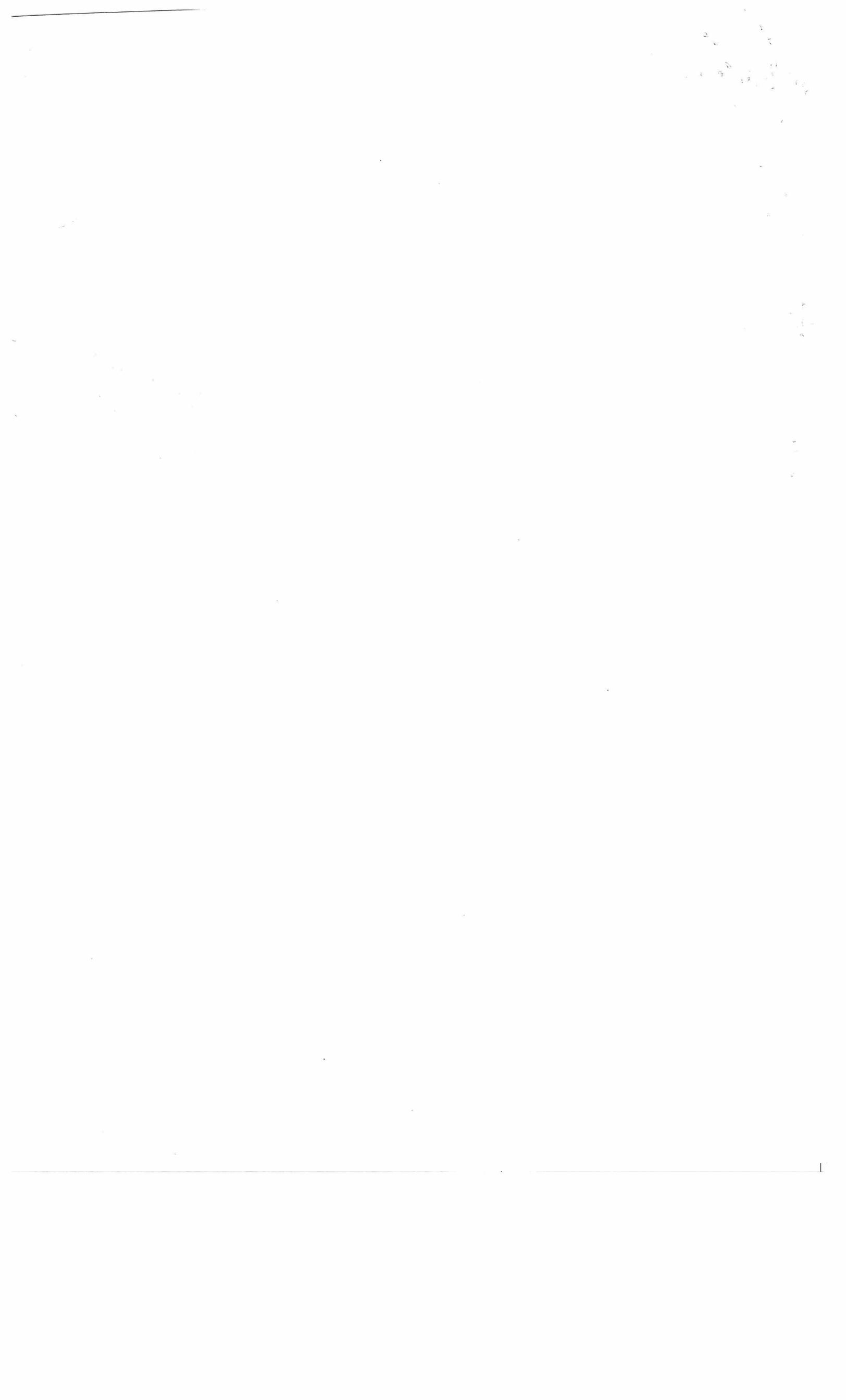
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3. H.K. Saharay, Iyengar's Commentary on the Copyright Act, Universal Law Publishing, 2016
4. M.K. Bhandari: Law relating to Intellectual Property Rights, Central Law Publications, 2017.
5. P. Narayan, Patent Law, Eastern Law House, 2017.
6. P. Narayanan, Intellectual Property Law, Eastern Law House, 2018.
7. VK Ahuja, Law Relating to Intellectual Property Rights, LexisNexis, 2017.
8. Lionel Bently, Brad Sherman, Dev Gangjee, and Phillip Johnson 6<sup>th</sup> Ed, 2022 OUP

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**Paper - IV Option (c) : Probation, Parole and Prison Administration**

**UNIT-I**

Origin and Growth of Prisons  
 Classification of Prisons  
 Classification of Prisoners  
 Jail Administration  
 Emerging Principles of correctional justice  
 Correctional Institutions  
 Educational Programmes  
 Vocational Programmes. Welfare of Prison Personnel

**UNIT-II**

Modernization of prisons in the light of the Constitutional right of the prisoners  
 Protection of inmates from criminal cultures  
 Living conditions of prisons compatible with human dignity  
 Treatment Programme in Prisons  
 Treatment of Prisoners-Non Custodials.  
 Probation  
 Parole  
 After-care  
 Public Participation in Prevention of Crime  
 Role of Welfare Agencies in Crime Prevention

**SUGGESTED READINGS**

1. Howard Jones : Paul Cornes's Open Prisons
2. Louis P. Carney : Introduction to correctional  
 Science, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed.
3. Carter and Wilkins : Probation, Parole and Community
4. Relevant Provision of the following Acts/Rules
  - Prisoners Act, 1900
  - Prisoners Act, 1984
  - Bostal Act, 1926
  - Punjab Jail Manual
  - The Good Conduct Prisoners Probationary Release Act, 1926
  - The Good Conduct Prisoners Probationary Release Act, 1927
  - The Punjab (Good Conduct Prisoners Probationary Temporary Release) Act, 1962
  - The Punjab (Good Conduct Prisoners Probationary Temporary Release) Act, 1962
  - Probation of Offences Act, 1958
  - Punjab Probation of Offenders Rules, 1962
  - Model Probation of Offenders Rules

**Option: Any one of the following:**

**Paper - V Option (a) : Private International Law**

**Unit-I**

Definition, Nature and Scope of Private International Law, Difference between Public International Law and Private International Law.

Evolution of Indian Private International Law, Theories of Private International Law.

Characterization

Renvoi

Application and Exclusion of Foreign Law

Domicile : Meaning, Domicile of Origin and Domicile of Choice, Domicile of Dependents, Married Women, Minor Children, Commercial Domicile.

Jurisdiction of Courts.

**Unit-II**

Recognition of Foreign Judgements, Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards

Law of Contract : Proper Law of Contract, Formation of Contract, Capacity to Contract, Formal and Material Validity, Discharge of Contract, Jurisdiction and Choice of Law in E-contracts

Marriage - Concept of Marriage, Validity of Marriage

Matrimonial Causes : Jurisdiction of Courts, Choice of Law, Recognition of Foreign Divorces, Recognition of Foreign Nullity Decrees, Recognition of Foreign Decrees of Judicial Separation.

Ancillary Reliefs : Jurisdiction of Courts, Choice of Law, Enforcement of Foreign Maintenance Orders

Legitimacy and Legitimation

Adoption

Guardianship and Custody of Minor Children - Jurisdiction, Choice of Law.

Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Guardianship and Custody Orders.

**Suggested Readings**

P.M. North : Cheshire and North Private International Law

Paras Diwan : Private International Law  
Indian and English

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**Paper-V - Option (c) -Offences against Children and Juvenile Offence**

**Unit I**

Offences against Children Under The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023

- Causing miscarriage and injuries to unborn child
- Kidnapping
- Trafficking in Children
- Rape
- Of Offences against child (Section 93-99)

Prohibition and Regulation of Child Labour

Prohibition of Child Marriage

Offences against Transgender Children

**Unit II**

**Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012**

- Preventive Sexual Assault and Aggravated Penetrative Sexual Assault (3 to 6)
- Sexual Assault and Aggravated Sexual Assault (7 to 10)
- Sexual Harassment (11, 12)
- Using Child for Pornographic Purpose (13 to 15)
- Abetment and Attempt to commit an offence (16 to 18)
- Procedure for Reporting Case (19 to 23)
- Procedure for recording Statement (24 to 27)
- Special Courts and Procedure and Powers of Special Courts (28 to 38)

**The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015.**

- General Principles of Care and Protection of children
- Juvenile Justice Board: Procedure, Powers and functions
- Procedure in relation to children in conflict with law.
- Children's Court and its Powers.
- Child welfare committee: Procedure, Powers and functions.
- Procedure in relation to children in need of Care and Protection.
- Rehabilitation and Social Re-Integration.
- Offences against Children.

**Suggested Readings :**

The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015

The Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006

The Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act, 1986

Law of Crimes by Rattan Lal Dhiraj Lal

The Bharatiya Nyana Sanhita, 2023

The Juvenile Justice System in India by Ved Kumari

Victimization Leading to Criminalization : A Harsh Reality- Dr. Sharanjit

Immoral Traffic(Prevention) Act, 1956

Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2019

Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012



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**Paper-V - Option (b) -Human Rights Law and Practice**

**Unit - I**

**Genesis of Human Rights in India**

- Meaning
- Evolution of the concept of Human Rights in India
- Object and Salient features of:-
  - \* Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948)
  - \* International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (1966)
  - \* International Covenant on Social, Cultural and Economic Rights (1966)

**Human Rights and Constitutional Legal Framework**

- Protection of Human Rights Mechanism
- Human Rights in Ancient India, Islamic and British Era.
- Object and Salient features of Protection of Human Rights Act, 1994
- Composition of National Human Rights Commission and State Human Rights Commission
- Powers and functions of National Human Rights Commission and State Human Rights Commission.
- Role of Judiciary in Protection of Human Rights.

**Unit - II**

**Human Rights of Marginalized Section of Society**

- Human Rights of Women
- Rights of aged and differently abled persons
- Human Rights of prisoners
- Human Rights and child
- Human Rights against exploitation
- Human Rights of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes/S.Ts/S.Cs

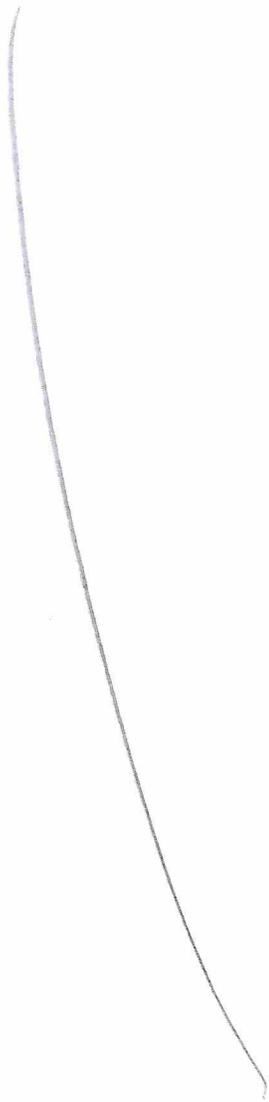
**Human Rights and personal Liberty**

- Right to free Legal aid
- Right to speedy trial
- Right against handcuffing
- Search and seizure
- Torture in Police Custody
- Custodial deaths
- Police fake encounter

**Suggested Readings**

1. P.L.Mehta :- Human Rights under the Indian Constitution
2. S.K.Kapoor :- International Law and Human Rights
3. V.K. Anand :- Human Rights
4. Darren JO Byrn :- Human Rights An Introduction
5. Dr. S.K. Sharma :- Human Rights in the World Today
6. Pandit Kamalakar :- Human Rights and Criminal Justice.
7. D.D. Basu Human Rights in Constitutional Law  
Protection of Human Rights Act, 1994.

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**Paper II:- Law of Registration, Specific Relief and Court fees****Unit-I**

The Registration Establishment  
Registrable Documents  
Time of Presentation  
Place of Registration  
Presenting Documents for Registration  
Enforcing, Appearance of Executants and Witnesses  
Presenting, Deposit of Wills and Authorities to Adopt  
Effects of Registration and Non-Registration  
Duties and Powers of Registering Officers

**Unit-II**

Recovering Possession of Property  
Specific Performance of Contracts  
Rectification of Instruments  
Rescission of Contracts  
Cancellation of Instruments  
Declaratory Decrees  
Fees in the High Courts and in the Courts of small causes at the presidency towns  
Fees in other Courts and in public offices  
Probates, Letters of administration and certificates of administration Process fees  
Mode of levying fees

**Suggested Readings**

J.P. Sirohi : Indian Registration Act  
Aquil Ahmad : Specific Relief Act  
R.K. Bangia : Law of Registration  
R.K. Bangia : Specific Relief  
Indian Registration Act, 1908 (Bare Act)  
Specific Relief Act, 1963 (Bare Act)  
The Court fees Act, 1870 (Bare Act)

**B.A. LL.B. Five Year Course**

**Tenth Semester**

**Paper I:- Clinical Legal Education and Internship**

This paper consists entirely of Practical Work in which each student is to participate in two Moot Courts apart from Project Report and Court visits. For this paper, the students would be evaluated by internal teachers.

However, on these students would be given assignments / attending Lok Adalats organised by the District Courts as well as would be encouraged to undertake various Legal Aid Campus.

Distribution of Marks is as under:

1. Moot Courts (Every student will give presentation at two moot courts with 25 marks each)	50 Marks
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3. Court Visits	<u>20 Marks</u>
Total	<u>100 Marks</u>

(The students will maintain a record and enter the various steps observed during their attendance on different days in the Court assignment).

**Option: Any one of the following:**

**Paper III- Option (a) – Law on Infrastructure Development**

**UNIT-I**

The Electricity Act, 2003

Definitions

National Electricity Policy and Plan

Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electricity

Licensing and Tariff

Central Electricity Authority and Regulatory Commissions

Offences and Penalties

The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013

Determination of Social Impact and Public Purpose

Special Provision to Safeguard Food Security

Rehabilitation and Resettlement Award

Procedure and Manner of Rehabilitation and Resettlement

National Monitoring Committee for Rehabilitation and Resettlement

Establishment of Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Authority

Apportionment of Compensation

Temporary occupation of Land

Offences and Penalties

**UNIT-II**

The Special Economic Zones Act, 2005

Definitions

Establishment of Special Economic Zone

Constitution of Board of Approval

Development Commissioner

Single Window Clearance

Special Fiscal Provisions for Special Economic Zones

Special Economic Zone Authority

Legal framework of specific infrastructure sector :-

1. Telecom

2. Roads and National Highways

3. Water

4. Airports

## Paper III- Option (b) -Law of Equity, Trust and Religious Endowments

### Unit I

#### Concept and definition of Equity

- Historical Background
- Definition, nature and scope of equity
- Equity as a branch of law
- Equity under the Indian Legal System
- Classification of Equity Jurisdiction.
- Exclusive Jurisdiction
- Concurrent Jurisdiction
- Auxilliary Jurisdiction

#### Nature of Equitable Rights and Interests

- Evolution of Equitable Interests
- Difference between Legal and Equitable Estate " Choose in Action and" Choose in Possession"
- Maxims of Equity.
- Equity will not suffer a wrong to be without a remedy
- Equity follows the Law
- He who seeks Equity must do Equity
- He who comes to Equity must come with clean hands
- Delay defeats equities
- Equality is Equity
- Equity looks to the Intent rather to the Form
- Equity looks on that as done which ought to have been done
- Equity imputes an intention to fulfil an obligation
- Equity acts in personam
- Where the Equities are equal, the first in time shall prevail
- Where there is equal Equity, the Law shall prevail

### Unit II

#### General View of Trust

- Introduction, Origin, Development and definition of Trust.
- Creation of Trust
- Rights and Power, duties and Liability of Trustees
- Disabilities of the Trustees
- Rights and Liabilities of the beneficiary

#### Religious Endowments

- Definition and nature of religious endowments

#### Essentials of Valid Endowments

#### Object and Scope of Religious Endowment

#### Maths

- Shebaitship,
- Power and duties of shebait.

#### Wakf

- Definition
- Object of Wakf
- Essentials of Wakf

Suggested Readings :

Equity by Hanbury

Trust and Trustees : Cases and Materials, R.H.Maudsley and E.H.Burn

Aqil Ahmad , Equity Trust and Fiduciary Relations

The Indian Trust Act, 1982

The Religious Endowments Act, 1863

The Wakf Act, 1995

## Paper III (c) : Forensic Science and Law

### Unit-I

Definition, Objects and Scope of Forensic Science  
 Relationship between Law and Forensic Science  
 Role of Forensic Science in administration of justice  
 Forensic Science set up in India

- Central forensic science laboratories
- Forensic Science Laboratories
- National Institute of Criminology and Forensic Science
- Central Detective Training School
- Finger Print Bureau
- National Crime Records Bureau

Types of Evidence

- Physical Evidence
- Chemical Evidence
- Biological Evidence

Meaning of Expert Evidence

Presentation of Expert Evidence

Admissibility of Expert Evidence

Crime Scene and Lab Investigation

### Unit-II

Concept, History, Advantages, Limitations and Legal admissibility of Techniques of Investigation

- Finger Printing
- Brain Mapping
- Lie detector/ Poly graph
- Voice Identification
- Narco analysis
  - DNA Finger Printing

Cyber Crimes

Computer Fraud and abuse

Software piracy, Hacking, Computer viruses, Computer security

Internet, Use of Biometric methods for personal identification

Information Technology Act, 2000

Offences and Penalties

### Suggested Readings

Modi's Medical Jurisprudence & Toxicology

Parekh's Medical Jurisprudence & Toxicology

Nanda, B.B. & Tewari R.K. : Forensic Science in India : A Vision for the  
 Twenty first Century

Sharma, B.R. : Forensic Science in Criminal Investigation and  
 Trials

Anil K. Jain : Biometrics Personal Identification in Neworked  
 Society

Nickolas : Scientific Criminal Investigation

James, S.H. ad Norby JJ : Forensic Science : An Introduction to Scientific  
 and Investigative Techniques

Indian Evidence Act, 1872

Information Technology Act, 2000.

**Option: Any one of the following:**

**Paper IV Option (a) : Interpretation of Statutes**

**Unit-I**

Meaning of Statute  
 Commencement of Statute  
 Operation of Statute  
 Repeal of Statute and its effect  
 Revival of Statute  
 Consolidating, Codifying and Amending Statutes  
 Primary or literal rule of interpretation  
 Mischief rule of interpretation  
 Golden rule of interpretation  
 Restrictive rule of interpretation  
 Beneficial rule of interpretation  
 Harmonious rule of interpretation

**Unit-II**

Internal aids of construction  
 External aids of construction  
 Contemporanea expositio  
 Expressio unius exclusio alterius  
 Ejusdem generis rule  
 Pari Materia  
 Mens rea  
 Bonam Partem  
 Stare decisis

**Suggested Readings**

1. Maxwell : Interpretation of Statutes
2. V.P. Sarathi : Interpretation of Statutes
3. G.P. Singh : Principles of Statutory Interpretation
4. Jagdish Swarup : Legislation and Interpretation



**COMPETITION LAW - PAPER IV (b)**

**B.A. LL. B FIVE-YEAR LAW**

**5<sup>TH</sup> YEAR 10<sup>TH</sup> SEM**

**UNIT -1**

Historical Development:

Doctrine of restraint of Trade under Indian Contract Act

Objectives and Salient Features of Monopolies and Restrictive Trade practices Act, 1969

Difference between MRTP Act and Competition Act 2002

Competition Act 2002: Salient features

Definitions: Agreement, Cartels, Enterprise, Relevant market, Relevant product Market, Relevant geographic market

Anti-Competitive Agreements (Sec- 3)

Vertical Agreements

Horizontal Agreements

Cartels

Abuse of Dominant Position (Sec-4)

Price fixing agreements

Predatory pricing

Inquiry and Procedure (Sec 19,26, 27 and 28)

**UNIT - 2**

Combinations (sec -5)

Regulation of Combinations (sec-6)

Inquiry and Procedure (Sec 20, 29 and 31)

Enforcement Mechanisms under the Competition Act, 2002 - Competition Commission of India

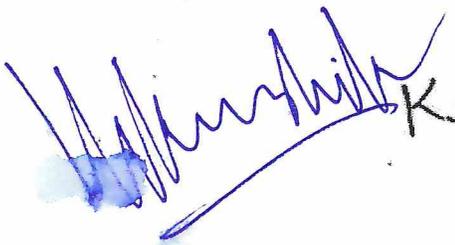
Constitution of the CCI - Powers and Functions (sec 7,8,9,10,11 and 12)

Duties of the CCI – (sec 19, 20,26,27, 28, 29 and 31)

Powers and Functions of the Appellate Authority -National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT)

Director General of Investigation (DGI) (Sec 16,41)

Penalties (sec 42, 42(a), 43,44,45and 46)

  
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## Competition Advocacy in India

### Books:

1. Competition Law in India by Abir Roy and Jayant Kumar Eastern Law House, New Delhi, 2018
2. Competition law in India and Interface with Sectoral Regulators by Chatterji Souvik.
3. Emerging Competition Law by Sinha Manoj and Mallaya, Susmitha P
4. Richard Whish, Competition Law, Oxford University Press, 2008
5. T Ramappa, Competition Law in India: Policy, Issues and Developments, 3rd ed.-2013, Oxford University Press, New Delhi
6. Mark Furse, Competition Law of the EC and UK, 6th ed., Oxford University Press, 2008.
7. Competition Law Today Vinod Dhall (ed.), Oxford University Press, 2007
8. S.M. Dugar, Guide to Competition Law (Containing commentary on the Competition Act, 2002 MRTP Act, 1969 & the Consumer Protection Act, 1986) 4th ed. Lexis Nexis, 2019



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**Paper IV Option (c) - White Collar Crimes**

**Unit-I**

Emergence of White-Collar Crimes  
Concept, Nature and Causes of White-Collar Crimes  
Sutherland's view on white-collar crimes and its analysis.  
Distinguish between White-Collar Crimes and Blue-Collar Crimes and Implications of White-Collar Crimes  
Courts and White Collar Crime in India.  
The Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002  
- Definitions and Objects  
-Offences and Punishment of Money Laundering  
-Attachment, Adjudication and Confiscation, Summon, Searches and Seizures  
-Authorities under the Act  
-Special Courts

**Unit-II**

White Collar Crimes in certain Professions - Medical Profession, Legal profession, Educational Institutions, Engineering.  
White Collar Crimes in business deals and Fake Employment Placement Rackets  
Remedial Measures.  
The Food Safety and Standard Act, 2006.  
-Definitions  
-Food Safety Standard Authority of India.  
-General Principles of Food Safety  
-Prohibition of Import of Certain Articles of Food.  
-Offences and penalties  
  
Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 -  
-Objects and Reasons of the Act,  
- Definitions - Public duty, Public Servant  
-Power to appoint special judges, cases triable by special judges, Procedure and Powers special judges

**Suggested Readings :**

Mahesh Chandra : Socio- Economic Crimes  
Marshal B. Clinard : Crime in Developing Countries  
N.V. Pranjape : Criminology and Penology  
Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988  
47th Report of Law Commission of India  
Trial and Punishment of Socio-Economic Offences.  
Annual Report Criminal Law Review.  
The Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002  
The Food Safety and Standard Act, 2006.  
Socio-Economic Offences (Laws and Principles) by Prof.Dr. Rattan Singh and Dr.Varinder Singh  
Law of White Collar Crimes by Dr. S.R. Myneni.

  
  
  
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**Option: Any one of the following:**

**Paper V (a) : Local Self Government and Panchyat Administration**

**Unit-I**

Evolution of Panchyat Raj System in India- A Historical Perspective, Nature, Scope and Spirit of Art 40 of the Constitution, Salient Features of the 73<sup>rd</sup> Amendment Act 1992, Aim and Objects of the Grass Root Level Democracy, Structure of Panchyat Raj Institutions including Gram Sabhs and Gram Panchyat at various Bodies.

Powers, Functions and Duties of the various Panchyat Raj Institution, Tax Collection, Welfare Activities, Judicial Functions of Gram Panchyat, Propert, Finance and Accounts of Gram Panchyats, Government and Judicial Control over Panchyat Raj Institution, Role of Gram Panchyat in strengthening the poor and women welfare system.

**Unit-II**

Objects and implications of the 74<sup>th</sup> amendment of the constitution, Punjab Municipal Act, 1911- Definition, Constitution of Committee, Election of President, Vice-President, Meetings of various bodies, Privileges and Liabilities

Powers Functions and duties of Municipalities, Municipal Funds and Property, By-Laws, Power of Entry and Inspection, Notice and Consequences of non-compliance, Appeals from orders, Offences and Prsecution, Role of Judiciary.

**Suggested Readings**

The Bare Act of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994  
The Bare Act of the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911  
The Constitution (Seventy-third Amendment) Act, 1992  
The Constitution (Seventy-fourth Amendment) Act, 1992  
Report of Balwant Raj Mehta Committee  
Report of Ashok Mehta Committee  
Report Law Commission of India One Hundred Fourteenth



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**Paper V - Option (b) - Co-operative Law and Agriculture Insurance****Unit - I**

Cooperative Movement in India

The Punjab Co-operative Societies Act, 1961

Preliminary (Ss. 1-2)

Registration of Co-operative Societies (Ss. 3-14)

Member of Co-operative Societies and their Rights and Liabilities (Ss. 15-22)

Management of Co-operative Societies (Ss. 23-29)

Privileges of Co-operative Societies (Ss. 30-40)

Properties and Funds of Co-operative Societies (Ss. 41-47)

**Unit - II**

Audit, Inquiry, Inspections and Surcharge (Ss. 48-54)

Settlement of Dispute (Ss. 55-56)

Winding up of Co-operative Societies (Ss. 57-61)

Appeal and Revisions (Ss. 68-70)

Co-operative Banks (Ss. 70-A)

Offences and Penalties (Ss. 71-86)

Aim, Objectives and Salient features of Agricultural Insurance Schemes.

**Suggested Readings :**

1. The Punjab Cooperative Societies Act, 1961
2. Jagdish Arora : The Punjab Cooperative Societies Act, 1961 with rule  
Ministry of Information : India Year Book & Broadcasting, India.



## Paper-V - Option (c) - Direct Taxation

### Unit-I

Definitions - Income, Total income, Assessee, Person, Assessment year, Previous year, Capital Asset.  
 Charge of Income Tax (Section 4)  
 Incidence of Tax (Section 5)  
 Residential Status of an Assessee (Section 6)  
 Incomes received or deemed to be received in India (Section 7)  
 Income deemed to accrue or arise in India  
 Agricultural income and its tax treatment.  
 Heads of Income (Section 14)  
 Income under the Head "Salaries" (Section 15-17)  
 Income under the Head "Income from House Property" (Section 22-27)  
 Income under the Head "Capital Gains" (Sections 45(1), 54, 54B, 54D, 54EC, 54ED, 54F, 54G, 54GA)  
 Income under the Head "Income from other sources" (Section 56-59)  
 Deductions to be made in computing total income (Section 80A-80GGC)  
 Rebates and Reliefs of Income Tax (Section 87-89)  
 Penalties and Prosecutions (Section 270-280)

### Unit-II

Income of other Persons included in Assessee's Total income (Section 60-65)  
 Set off and Carry forward and set off of Losses (Section 70-80)  
 Income Tax Authorities and their powers (Sections 116, 131-36)  
 Return of Income (Section 139(1) & Section 140), Return of Loss (Section 139(3)), Belated Return (Section 139(4)), Revised Return (Section 139(5))  
 Permanent Account Number (Section 139(A))  
 Self Assessment (Section 140A)  
 Inquiry before Assessment (Section 142)  
 Summary Assessment (Section 143)  
 Best Judgement Assessment (Section 144-145)  
 Income Escaping Assessment (Section 147-148)  
 Advance Payment of Tax (Section 207-11, 217 & 219)  
 Refunds (Section 237-241)  
 Salient features of Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017

### Suggested Books :

1. Vinod K. Singhania : Direct Tax Law and Practice
2. V.P. Gour and D.B. Narang : Income Tax Law and Practice
3. Mahesh Chandra and S.P. Goyal : Income Tax Law and Practice
4. Narula : Taxation Law
5. The Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017

