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THREE YEAR UNITARY LL.B. DEGREE EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2024

Second Semester

UL 8—FAMILY LAW – I

(2023 Admissions – Regular/2018–2022 Admissions – Supplementary)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

*Answer any five questions.
Each question carries 3 marks.*

1. Explain the essentials of a valid marriage under Muslim Law.
2. Discuss the law relating to divorce by mutual consent as per Hindu Marriage Act.
3. Examine the law relating to guardianship of minors under the Muslim Law.
4. Discuss the characteristics of various kinds of Guardian.
5. Explain who are the persons capable of giving in Adoption.
6. What do you mean by Dower and explain the different kinds of Dower.
7. Examine the scope of the doctrine of 'Relation Back'.

(5 × 3 =15 marks)

Part B

*Answer any three questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.*

8. A, a male and B, a female are cousins and are within the degrees of prohibited relationship. Since both of them are Hindus, they solemnised their marriage as per Hindu customs. What is the legal effect of this marriage and whether the parties are liable for any punishment ? Explain.
9. 'C', a Hindu married male aged 35 years wishes to adopt a girl child of 15 years. C wants to know about the legal provisions in this regard- Advice
10. Ms. S is the daughter-in-law of Mr. X. Due to a dispute with her husband Ms. S obtained a divorce from him. Subsequently, she filed a petition claiming maintenance from Mr. X. Whether the said petition is permissible under Hindu Adoptions and Maintenance Act, 1956 ? Explain.

Turn over

11. Mr. G and his father went to a temple. The father is 75 years old and suffering from the problem of loss of memory. Mr. G left the temple leaving his father there with an intention to abandon the father. Whether the said act of Mr. G amounts to a violation of law? If so what are the punishments for it.

(3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Part C

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 15 marks.*

12. What do you mean by Judicial Separation? Explain the various grounds for getting the decree of Judicial separation.
13. What do you mean by Talaq? Explain the law relating to different modes of Talaq.
14. Explain the scope of legal provisions available for the maintenance of senior citizens in India with special reference to the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens ^{22L} Act, 2007.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)