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LL.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

Fourth Semester

Branch I—COMMERCIAL LAW

LW 010 402—REGULATION OF FOREIGN TRADE AND INVESTMENT

(2022 Admissions—Regular, 2021 Admissions—Supplementary)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Answer any five questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. How did state control over import and export of goods impact domestic economies in the pre-liberalization era ?
2. Compare and contrast the impact of tariff and non-tariff restrictions on international trade flows.
3. Discuss the perspectives of regulation embedded in the Foreign Trade Development and Regulation Act, 1992, and their implications for foreign trade development.
4. Evaluate the penalties associated with violations of customs regulations and their deterrence effect on illegal trade activities.
5. Analyse the importance of conserving foreign exchange reserves for a country's economic stability and development.
6. Explain the different kinds of foreign investments, including investments by NRIs, FIIs (Foreign Institutional Investors), and FDIs. Compare and contrast the regulatory frameworks governing these types of investments.
7. Describe the legal framework governing borrowing and lending of money and foreign currency securities abroad. What are the key considerations for investors engaging in cross-border lending and borrowing transactions ?
8. Assess the significance of surrendering foreign securities in the context of international investment law and its implications for investor protection and regulatory compliance.

(5 × 14 = 70)

