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LL.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2025

Third Semester

Branch III—Maritime Law

LW030301—LAW RELATING TO SHIPS AND MARINE INSURANCE

(2023 Admissions—Regular, 2022 Admissions—Supplementary)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Answer any **five** questions.*

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Design a new regulatory framework that enhances the Genuine Link between ships and their flag states, considering both Indian and international legal standards. How would this framework improve global maritime safety and security ?"
2. Critically analyze the pros and cons of Recycling of Ships Act, 2019 in the light of practice and judicial reasonings.
3. "Shipbuilding contract is different from the general sales contract in terms of nature of contract, time frame and passing of risks". Analyse.
4. "Any mortgagee who does not register his/her mortgage gains none of the benefits available under the Merchant Shipping Acts' Analyse in the light of judicial precedents.
5. Explain the legal, framework governing pilotage services in India. How do these regulations ensure the safe navigation of vessels in Indian ports ?

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6. Analyze the impact of salvage contracts on the allocation of financial rewards and liabilities between salvors and shipowners. How do statutory provisions and the Salvage Convention 1989 influence the terms and outcomes of salvage contracts ?
7. Outline the major clauses in a standard Marine Insurance policy.
8. Critically evaluate doctrine of Utmost good faith underlying Marine Insurance with the help of case law.

(5 × 14 = 70)

