# B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) DEGREE THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019

## GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF CONTRACT AND SPECIFIC RELIEF

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

### PART - A

(Answer ANY TWO questions. Each question carries TEN marks).

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$ 

- I. Why should law recognise and enforce agreements that are entered into by private parties?
- II. What is consent? When is it said to be vitiated?
- III. Why is capacity important to contracts? Does the law give an unfair advantage to persons presumed not to have capacity?
- IV. How are contracts discharged? Discuss in brief how and when performances discharge contracts.

#### PART - B

(Answer <u>ANY FOUR</u> questions. Each question carries <u>FIVE</u> marks)

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$ 

V. Promise

VIII. Public policy

VI. Strict construction

IX. Frustration

VII. Undue influence

X. Unreasonable terms

#### PART - C

(Answer ANY ONE question. Each question carries TEN marks)

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 

- XI. M communicated to N that she may think about selling her house to N, if N gave double the current market value of the house. N communicated that she is willing to give double the market value and later seeks performance of the 'agreement'. Discuss.
- XII. A, with no good security, applies to many bankers for a loan. All but one reject his application. That banker agrees to extend the loan, but at an unusually high rate of interest. A accepts the loan on these terms. Later, he wants to avoid the contract. Decide.

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