

HONS. 04/017/19

**B.A. LL.B., (Hons.) DEGREE FOURTH (Supplementary) SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS,
August 2019**

FAMILY LAW I

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

Part A

Answer any five. 5 marks each (5 X 5= 25 marks)

1. Comment upon the role PWDVA, 2005 in combating domestic violence?
2. Elaborate upon the term *iddat*. What are its legal implications?
3. What are the essential requirements of valid marriage as stated in Hindu Marriage Act, 1955?
4. Define cruelty. Explain cruelty as a ground for judicial separation.
5. Examine the extent of right to claim maintenance under Criminal Procedure Code.
6. What is the relevance of Quran as a major source of Muslim Law in India.
7. Elaborate the development of laws in UK and US in addressing domestic violence as a social issue.
8. Comment upon acknowledgment of paternity of children under Muslim Law.

Part B

Answer any one. 10 marks (10 X 1= 10 marks)

9. Critically analyse the adequacy of laws relating to prohibition of dowry in India. Identify the reasons for the continuance of the social practice of dowry.
10. Elaborate upon the constitutionality of remedy of restitution of conjugal rights?

Part C

Answer any one. 15 marks (15 X 1= 15 marks)

11. A, a Muslim dies leaving behind a widow. The widow is entitled to a dower of 5 lac rupees upon their marriage. Advice upon the recoverability of the same.
12. Mr X, a Hindu likes to marry Ms. Y, who is his distant relative from his maternal family. Advice upon the legality of this proposed marriage.