B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) DEGREE FIFTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION, March 2022 Law of Evidence

Time : 3 Hrs

Maximum Marks: 50

I. Answer any THREE from the following questions. Each question carry Ten marks (3*10 = 30 Marks)

- 1. Explain the evidentiary value of dying declaration. Is expectation of death necessary for a dying declaration?
- 2. Explain the objective behind holding a Test identification parade. Identify the provision from IEA which is applicable on the same.
- 3. Admissions are not conclusive proof of matters admitted but may operate as estoppel. Explain.
- 4. What is hearsay evidence? It is acceptable in a court of law?
- 5. Enumerate on the exclusion of oral evidence by documentary evidence.

II. Answer any TWO from the following questions.Each question carry Ten marks (2*10 =20 Marks)

- 1. There is a dispute whether a given road is public way or not? X, a deceased headman of the village stated earlier during his lifetime that 'the road was public'. Is this statement relevant?
- 2. X murdered his wife which was witnessed by his son who was just a child of only 7 years at that time. There was no other witness. The child is produced in the Court to give evidence. Is it permissible?
- 3. A executed an unregistered lease agreement in favour of B, the lessee. Later, A filed a suit for eviction of B from the premises. A filed the unregistered lease agreement in the Court. Is the unregistered lease agreement admissible in the Court? Discuss.
- 4. The question is whether X committed a crime at New Delhi on a certain day. The fact that on that day, X was present in a Court proceeding at Hyderabad. Is this fact relevant? Refer to legal provisions and case law.