

ONE YEAR LL.M DEGREE FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS,

DECEMBER 2019

COMPARATIVE SYSTEM OF GOVERNANCE

Time: 3 Hrs

Maximum Marks: 50

Answer ANY FIVE of the following
Each question carries TEN marks

(5 x 10 = 50)

1. What is meant by judicial activism? Critically analyse the scope of judicial activism under the Indian Constitution?
2. What are the various methods for determining the ratio decidendi of a case?
3. Examine various subconscious elements in the judicial process as analysed by Julius Stone and Cardozo?
4. What are the main characteristics of federal and unitary systems of Government? How far these characteristics are visible in the Indian Constitution?
5. Examine the significance of prospective overruling principle in India? Discuss important cases where this has been applied in India?
6. Trace the origin of the doctrine of judicial review in U.S.A. Examine the significance of the concept as an ingredient of good governance with special reference to India?
7. Examine important features of common law and civil law. Which are the important countries where these systems are followed?
8. Critically evaluate the method of philosophy. Examine the influence of method of philosophy for the interpretation of cases by the judges?
