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**B.A., LL.B. (HONS.) SEVENTH SEMESTER (SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION,
FEBRUARY 2019
HUMAN RIGHTS LAW**

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

**PART A
(Answer ANY FIVE Questions)**

(5 X 4 = 20)

I. Explain the human rights dimensions of:

- a) Non-refoulement
- b) Magna carta
- c) Universal adult franchise
- d) Second Optional Protocol to International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.
- e) Banjul Charter
- f) Right to property
- g) Right to education
- h) Right to development

**PART B
(Answer ANY TWO Questions)**

(2 X 6 = 12)

II. The police threaten to charge Abel with dacoity if he does not confess to being a thief. Examine the rights of Abel and the remedies available to him under the law. Examine whether the rights available to Abel are universally recognised.

III. Surej, an Indian citizen, is denied admission to a course at an Indian University for having poor marks while some others with the same marks are granted admission. Examine the legal remedies available to Surej, if any. Advise Surej from a human rights perspective.

IV. Diya is dismissed from her job in a private company after she got married. No reasons are cited by the employer. She believes that it is because of her marriage that she lost her job. Examine whether she has any remedies under the law against her dismissal. Has there been a violation of any of Diya's recognised human rights?

**PART C
(Answer ANY TWO Questions)**

(2 X 9 = 18)

V. Explain the powers and duties of the State Human Rights Commission.

VI. Examine the influence of the UDHR on the Constitution of India.

VII. Comment on the role of the Supreme Court of India in the development of human rights of women in India.
