HONS.10/16/004

B.A. LL.B., (Hons) DEGREE TENTH SEMESTER (Supplementary) EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2016

MARITIME LAW

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 50

Answer ANY FIVE questions. All questions carry EQUAL marks

 $(5 \times 10 = 50)$

- I. Examine the concept of Innocent passage? Do you think that Innocent passage as laid down in UNCLOS III succeeds in protecting the freedom of navigation?
- II. What are the rights of the coastal state within its Contiguous Zone? Does the Indian law on Contiguous Zone differ from UNCLOS III?
- III. How does the Merchant Shipping Act, 1958 ensure that the interests of persons working on board Indian ships are protected?
- **IV.** What are the requirements to be satisfied before a voluntary salvor can prefer a valid salvage claim?
- V. With the help of case law examine the Responsibilities and Liabilities of a Carrier under the Carriage of Goods by Sea Act, 1925.
- VI. What are the basic attributes of a Bill of Lading? Is the carrier bound by the description of cargo stated in a bill of lading?
- VII. Examine the different types of charter parties. When can a charter party termed as a demise charter party?
- VIII. Examine the scope and ambit of 'duty of disclosure' in marine insurance contracts.