



**PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY, BENGALURU  
SCHOOL OF LAW**

Max Marks: 100

Max Time: 180 Mins

Weightage: 40%

**Set B**

**COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION**

I Semester 2016-2017

Course: **BBL A 209 Family Law-I**

13<sup>th</sup> December 2016

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**Instructions:**

- i. Avoid false numbering.
  - ii. Write Legibly
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**Part A**

Answer the following questions:

(10 Q x 2 M= 20 Marks)

1. What is 'Illatom' adoption?
2. Mention any two rights of a reversioner.
3. Who is a de-facto guardian?
4. What is codicil?
5. What is the meaning of the term 'surrender'?
6. Define 'will' according to Indian Succession Act, 1925.
7. What is void and voidable marriage?
8. What are the various forms of adoption?
9. What is Escheat?
10. What is an endowment?

**Part B**

Answer the following questions:

(8 Q x 5 M= 40 Marks)

1. What are the powers of a testamentary guardian?
2. Explain the special features of stridhan?
3. What is restitution of conjugal rights? Explain.
4. What are the rights of a reversioner?
5. Who is capable of giving in adoption?
6. Distinguish between joint Hindu family and coparcenaries.
7. Bring the differences between Dayabhaga and Mitakshara schools.
8. Explain the facts and principle of Deivain Achi Vs Chidambara Chettiar

**Part C**

Answer the following questions

(4Q x 10 M= 40 Marks)

1. Who are dependents? Explain the law with regard to their maintenance.
2. Examine the matrimonial remedies under Hindu Marriage Act, 1955.

**Part B**

(6Q x 5 M= 30 Marks)

1. To whom does the Hindu law apply? Explain.
2. Mention and explain the kinds of customs.
3. Explain the 4 approved forms of marriage.
4. Explain sec-5 of the Hindu marriage act.
5. Explain the ancient sources of Hindu law.
6. What is the punishment given to bigamy?

**Part C**

(2Q x 15 M= 30 Marks)

1. Explain the differences between both the schools of Hindu law with regard to the various provisions.
2. Explain what are the essential conditions required for the performance of a Hindu marriage.



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Max Marks: 80

Max Time 120 mins

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**Set A**

**MID TERM EXAMINATION**

I Semester 2016-2017

Course: BBL A 209 Family Law-1

24<sup>th</sup> October 2016

**Instructions:**

- i. Write legibly
- ii. Scientific and non programmable calculators are permitted

**Part A**

(10 Q x 2 M= 20 Marks)

1. Where is the term Hindu derived from? How many slokas are there in Manu Smriti?
2. Mention the four goals of human life according to Dharma shastra.
3. What does Sruti mean? Rig Veda contains how many hymns?
4. Mention any four Vedangas?
5. Who was the first Governor General of India and what was the change he brought about in Hindu law?
6. Mention any two legislations which have been codified as a result against the practices of ancient Hindus.
7. What is the meaning of 'uterine blood' relations? Who wrote the version of Dayabhaga.
8. What is Patiloma marriage and Anuloma marriage?
9. What is the meaning of patriarchal system of family?
10. Define 'marriage' according to Mazumdar.T.