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**SCHOOL OF LAW
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Semester : SEMESTER - VII

Course Code : LAW403

Course Name : Sem VII - LAW403 - Media and Law

Program : LLB (All)

Date : 10-JAN-2023

Time : 1.00PM - 4.00PM

Max Marks : 100

Weightage : 50%

Instructions:

- (i) Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.
- (ii) Question paper consists of 3 parts.
- (iii) Scientific and non-programmable calculator are permitted.

PART A

ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

10 X 2 = 20M

1. Examine pre-censorship as a reasonable restriction to freedom of press in India. (CO1) [Knowledge]
2. Discuss the role of media in Conflict Resolution. (CO2) [Knowledge]
3. Explain, in brief Salient features of TRAI Act, 1997. (CO3) [Knowledge]
4. Define "In-camera procedure". (CO4) [Knowledge]
5. Explain "Defamatory statement". (CO4) [Knowledge]
6. What do you understand by commercial speech? (CO5) [Knowledge]
7. Explain the Constitutional provisions to safeguard the freedom of speech and expressions in India (CO2) [Knowledge]
8. What is the punishment for Contempt of court? (CO1) [Knowledge]
9. Briefly explain Right to Information. (CO1) [Knowledge]
10. Briefly write a short note on Sakal Newspaper Case. (CO2) [Knowledge]

PART B

ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

4 X 10 = 40M

11. Elaborate historical development on press regulation in India.
(CO3) [Comprehension]
12. Explain the constitutional validity of Section 66-A of the Information Technology Act,2000 with reference to relevant case laws.
(CO4) [Comprehension]
13. Discuss the privacy issues in the social media. What are the legal regulations on personal data protection in cyber space.
(CO4) [Comprehension]
14. What do you understand by 'qualified privileges'? Discuss the background of the 'qualified privileges' of the Press as contained under the Parliamentary Proceedings (Protection of Publication) Act, 1977.
(CO5) [Comprehension]

PART C

ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

2 X 20 = 40M

15. Internet is a platform that blends technology, telecommunications and social interaction. Appreciate internet as a social media and identify its legal challenges in India.
(CO4) [Application]
16. Discuss in detail the Statutory Regulation of Advertisements along with case laws.
(CO5) [Application]
