

B.A.LL.B. (5 Years Course) CBCS Pattern Semester-X
UL5XC03 - Law and Media

P. Pages : 1

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

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- Notes :
1. Attempt all questions.
 2. All questions carry equal marks.
 3. Write case laws wherever necessary.

1. Discuss the nature, scope and significance of Media.

OR

Define the Self-Regulation of media. Should the Government make law to control media?

2. Explain the freedom of speech and expression U/A 19(1) (a) of Indian Constitution. On what grounds restrictions can be imposed by the state?

OR

Discuss the role of media in promotion of right to information.

3. Publication of what material relating to courts amounts to an offence to Contempt of court?

OR

Write a brief notes on

- a) Investigative Journalism
- b) Media and human rights.

4. What are the defences available to a defendant in the suit of defamation under the law of torts? Elaborate.

OR

Write a brief note on Press Commission of India.

5. An NGO complained to Election Commission alleging that a Central minister delivered hate speech and in response to it, a Minister and sitting MLA contesting again made another hate Speech. He requested to countermand the poll. Assume that two Ministers filed a defamation case against the NGO and newspaper that published their representation to EC. Is it defamation? Explain.

OR

Discuss the role of media in case of Emergency.
