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**ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BANGALORE-27**

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BC IFA 2319 - Business Law

Time- 2 ½ hrs Max Marks-70

**This paper contains two printed pages and four parts**

**Section A**

I Answer any **five** of the following  **(5 X 2 = 10marks)**

1. Which of the following is regarded as private law?
   * 1. Criminal Law
     2. Civil Law
2. (i) only
3. (ii) only
4. Both (i) and (ii)
5. Neither (i) or (ii)
6. What will a display of goods in a shop window generally constitute?
   1. A specific offer
   2. A general offer
   3. An invitation to treat
   4. A statement of intention
7. How to the Environment Protection Act define “Environment”?
8. Any solid or gaseous substance present in such  concentration as may be, or tend to be, injurious to environment
9. The premises of a factory within which production activities takes place
10. Water, air and land and the inter-relationship which exists among and between water, air and land, and human beings, other living  creatures, plants, microorganism and property
11. Liquid, solid and gaseous substances freely present in Nature and the interaction between the same and organisms
12. Which of the following correctly describes a warranty?
    1. A lesser term in a contract
    2. The most important term in a contract
    3. Not a term of a contract at all
13. The rights given to persons over the creations of their minds
    1. Patent
    2. Geographical indicators
    3. Copyrights
    4. Trademarks
14. Which is true regarding the jurisdiction of the National Commission according the Consumer Protection Act 1986?
    * 1. Claims exceeding 10 lakhs but does not exceed 1 crore
      2. Appeal against the any order of the State Commission within the country
15. (i) only
16. (ii) only
17. Both (i) and (ii)
18. Neither (i) or (ii)

**Section B**

II Answer any **three** of the following **(3 x 5 = 15 marks)**

1. Diagrammatically depict the hierarchy of courts in India.
2. Write a short note on types of cyber crimes
3. With respect to the Consumer Protection Act 1986, explain consumer rights.
4. Write a short note on anti competitive agreements under the Competition Act 2002.

**Section C**

III Answer any **two** of the following **(2 x 15 = 30 marks)**

1. *Contract with a minor is void ab initio*. Explain the features of a contract with a minor.
2. Explain any ten unfair trade practices according to the Consumer Protection Act of 1986.
3. “*Invention means a new product or process involving an inventive step and capable of industrial application”.* In the light of this statement, what are not inventions under Section 3 of the Patents Act 1970.

**Section D**

IV **Compulsory Question (1 X 15 = 15 marks)**

1. The defendant (H) agreed by contract to rent a flat from the plaintiff (K) for the purpose of watching the coronation procession of Edward VII and paid a deposit. This was because the room had an excellent view of the procession. Though not explicitly stated in the contract, the plaintiff was aware of this intention. The procession did not take place on the originally set days as the King fell ill. H refused to pay the balance amount for the room. In who’s favour will the court rule in and why?
2. A student agreed to sell his car to his professor for Rs. 20,000. The actual value of the car was Rs. 20,00,000. Later, the student wants to avoid the contract. Can he do so? Justify with respect to the Contract Act.
3. A invited B for a lunch at his home. B agreed but later cancelled without any notice. A would like to sue for breach of contract and claim damages. Will she succeed ? Comment.

(5 + 5 + 5)

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