

**2016**

**L.L.M.**

**4th SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

**CONCEPT OF HUMAN RIGHTS**

**PAPER—LLM\_402**

*Full Marks : 100*

*Time : 4 Hours*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

*Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.*

*Answer any four questions.*

1. "The concept of Human Rights is as old as human civilization, the origin of the contemporary conception of human rights can be traced to the period of the renaissance and later to the enlightenment of which humanism may be said to be the heart and soul. The promotion and protection of human rights have been a major preoccupation for the U.N. since 1945."

*In the light of the above statement, discuss concept, origin, importance and justification of human rights.*

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2. "Human Rights are internationally agreed standards which apply to all human beings. They encompass the civil, cultural, economic and social rights set out in UDHR. The key international human rights treaties, the ICESCR and ICCPR- further elaborate the content of the rights set out in the UDHR and contain legally binding obligations for the Government that becomes parties to them"— Elucidate.

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*(Turn Over)*

3. "Protection of Fundamental Human Rights has always been accorded a prominent place in the Indian Constitution. It secures certain basic rights which are essential in order that human liberty may be preserved, human personality developed and an effective social and democratic life promoted."

Considering the above statement explain all the Fundamental Rights as enshrined in Part-III of the Indian Constitution. 25

4. (a) What are the various rights available to a person in case of arrest and detention.  
 (b) What are the different form of violation of Children's rights? How are these protected under the India laws. 10+15

5. Critically examine the role and achievement of National Human Rights Commission in the protection and promotion of human rights in India. 25

6. Explain the 'right to food' as part of human rights. Illustrate your answer in the context of constitutional paradigm and development in India with support of Supreme Court judgements. 25

7. Critically examine the role of judiciary in the protection of human rights in India citing some landmark judgements of the Supreme Court of India.

8. Write notes on : 2×12½  
 (a) Panchayati Raj System in India.  
 (b) Protective Discrimination.