

**B.A. LL.B. (5 Year Degree Course) Sem-VIII (CBCS - 2015 COURSE)
: SUMMER - 2019**

SUBJECT : MARITIME LAW

Day : Sunday
Date : 05/05/2019

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Time : 10.00 AM TO 01.00 PM
Max.Marks : 60

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- 1) All Questions are compulsory.
- 2) All Questions Carry equal marks.

Q.1 a) "The United Nations Convention on the Law of Sea, 1982 is a comprehensive instrument covering almost all aspects of marine resources and environment" Critically evaluate the statement alongside explaining UNCLOS's significance towards strengthening of International law.

OR

- b) Briefly trace the historical development of the international law of the sea by referring to the phenomenon of the battle of books between Hugo Grotius & John Seldon.
- Q.2 a) How the concept of '*Maritime Claim*' has been defined under the Admiralty (Jurisdiction & Settlement of Maritime Claims) Act, 2017?

OR

- b) "From the sea magistrates to the Admiralty courts, the concept of admiralty law had gradually evolved in India." Comment
- Q.3 a) Write an essay on Geneva Convention on the Arrests of Ships, 1999.

OR

- b) Portray a critical summary of the Brussels Convention on Arrests of Ships, 1952.
- Q.4 a) Explain the concept of the Continental Shelf & Exclusive Economic Zone alongside indicating various rights of coastal & other states in detail.

OR

- b) What is Territorial Sea? Explain the rights of Coastal states over its territorial sea by simultaneously highlighting the right of other states of freedom to navigate and innocent passage.
- Q.5 a) Discuss the recent arbitral award of '*South China Sea*' and repercussions of China's reluctance on international law and principle of international comity.

OR

- b) Elucidate the law on Marine insurance, its significance for various stakeholders and the kinds of marine insurance.

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