

B. A. LAW (5 YEAR DEGREE COURSE) SEM-VI (2009 COURSE)

: SUMMER - 2018

SUBJECT : OPTIONAL – II : a) MEDIA AND LAW

Day : **Wednesday**

Date : **25/04/2018**

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Time : **10.00 AM TO 01.00 PM**

Max. Marks : 80

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- 1) Attempt any six questions including **Q. No. 1** is **COMPULSORY**.
 - 2) **Q. No. 1** carries **20** marks, while other question carry **12** marks each.
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Q. 1 Write short notes on **ANY FOUR** of the following:

- a) Glorification of crime
- b) Virender V. State of Punjab
- c) Jessica Lal Case
- d) Owner of Copyright
- e) Media's Right to Interview
- f) Paid news

Q. 2 Discuss the History of the press in India, and its current constitutional position.

Q. 3 Elaborate the powers and functions of press council of India.

Q. 4 Explain the constitution of Board of Prasar Bharati and also state its objectives.

Q. 5 State the significant features of official Secrets Act 1923, and also give your opinion on whether the said Act shall be repealed or not, along with the reasons.

Q. 6 Give your opinion on whether the censor board is performing its duties or is crossing its limits, in the light of its role and its recent controversies.

Q. 7 Explain the concept of infringement of copyright and also state the remedies in case of infringement.

Q. 8 Write a detailed note on law of defamation.

Q. 9 Discuss the law relating to contempt, and also state when the media is liable for the contempt.

Q.10 Explain how the media was gaged during emergency and also state the position of media today in case of emergency if declared henceforth.

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