

2021

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW — I

Third Paper

Full Marks : 80

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Answer **any five** questions.

1. What is Preamble? Is it a part of the Constitution? Can it be used for interpretation of the Constitution? Also explain its significance. 16
 2. Explain the terms 'Sovereign', 'Socialist', 'Democratic' and 'Secular' in detail. 16
 3. 'No Person shall be deprived of his life or personal liberty except according to the procedure established by law.' — Explain. 16
 4. Discuss the relationship between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy with relevant cases of the Supreme Court of India. 16
 5. Explain the term 'State' as defined under Article 12 of the Constitution of India. Is Judiciary 'State' under Article 12? Give reasons for your answer. 8+8
 6. What is meant by reasonable classification? Explain with the help of relevant case laws. 16
 7. Explain Fundamental Duties under Constitution of India. 16
 8. Are Fundamental Duties justiciable? Give reasons for your answer. 16
 9. What do you mean by 'Double Jeopardy'? Explain Ex Post Facto Laws with the help of decided cases. 8+8
 10. Write short notes on (**any two**) the following: 8×2
 - (a) Write a note on 'Six fundamental rights that Indian Constitution guarantees'.
 - (b) Write a short note on 'Right to education'.
 - (c) Write a short note on 'Right to equality'.
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