

**2020**

**JURISPRUDENCE**

**First 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. (a) What is the utility of studying Jurisprudence?  
(b) What is the distinction between 'question of fact' and 'question of law'? 8+8
  2. (a) Dwell upon the concept of Jurisprudence.  
(b) Do you think that jurisprudence is different from typical legal concepts like possession, ownership, right. 8+8
  3. (a) What are the essential requisites of a valid custom?  
(b) Is 'Sati' a valid custom? If so, should it continue? 8+8
  4. (a) Possession consists of 'corpus possessionis' and animus possidendi' — Discuss.  
(b) How is possession acquired? 8+8
  5. (a) Distinguish between natural and juristic person with example.  
(b) Can a juristic person be a citizen of India? 8+8
  6. What is Legal Right? Is it correct to say that a right is a Creation of Law? What are the characteristics of right? 16
  7. Ownership is a right indefinite in point of user, unrestricted in point of disposition and unlimited in point of duration. 16
  8. Law is an instrument of Social Engineering. — Discuss. 16
  9. Distinguish between :  
(a) Right in rem and Right in personum  
(b) Mediate Possession and Immediate possession. 8+8
  10. Write short notes on : 8+8  
(a) Corporation Sole and (b) Ratio decidendi.
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