

Paper V

B.COM.LL.B.: Semester-VII

BCL 751: PRACTICAL TRAINING I (Professional ethics)

Teaching Scheme	Examination Scheme
Lectures: 4hrs/Week	Class Test -12 Marks
Tutorials: 1 hr/Week	Teachers Assessment - 6 Marks
Credits: 5	Attendance - 12 Marks
	End Semester Exam - 70 marks

CO Number	CO Statement
CO1	Describe Historical development of Legal Profession in India
CO2	Explain Standards of Professional Conduct and Etiquette
CO3	Discuss Rights and Privileges of Advocates
CO4	Analyse Defences under contempt of court
CO5	Discuss Bench-Bar Relationship
CO6	State the Punishment and Remedies against punishment for Contempt of Court

Unit I

Historical development of Legal Profession in India.

Constitution, Function, Powers and Jurisdiction of State Bar Council and Bar Council of India
Admission and enrolment of Advocates.

Unit II

Profession ethics and Advocacy, Standards of Professional Conduct and Etiquette, Conflict between interest and duty, Duty to court, Duty to Client, Duty to opponent, Duty to Colleagues, Duty towards Society and obligation to render legal aid

Unit III : Bench-Bar Relationship

Reciprocity as partners in administration of Justice
Professional Misconduct
Rights and Privileges of Advocates

Unit IV : Contempt of Court Act, 1971

Historical development of Contempt of Court Act in India, Object and Constitutional validity of Contempt of Court Act. Definition, Kinds of Contempt Contempt by Judges, Magistrates, Lawyers and other persons Cognizence, Procedure, Appellate provisions regarding Contempt Defences, Punishment and Remedies against punishment for Contempt of Court and Punishment for Contempt, Defences under contempt of court.

Cases

1. Rajendra V Pai v Alex Frnandes AIR 2002 SC 1808
2. In re; A an advocate AIR 1962 SC 1337
3. In re; Mr. G a Senior Advocate of SC AIR 1954 SC 557
4. In re; Lalit Mohan Das AIR 1957 SC 250
5. Sheo Narayan Jafa v Judge Allahabad H.C. AIR 1953 SC 368
6. P. J. Ratnam v d. Kanik ran AIR 1964 SC 244

Acts

1. The Advocate Act, 1961

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