# B.B.A. LL.B. (FIVE YEAR DEGREE COURSE) (CBCS - 2015 COURSE) B.B.A. LL. B. Sem - VII : SUMMER : 2024 SUBJECT: MERGER & ACQUISITION

Day: Thursday
Date: 16/05/2024

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Time: 10:00 AM-12:30 PM

Max. Marks: 60

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- 1) All questions are COMPULSORY.
- 2) All questions carry EQUAL marks.
- Q.1 a) ABC Company Ltd. is a cemet manufacturing company which has plans of merging with PQR Company Ltd. which is involved in the business of infrastructure development. Is such a merger allowed? Advice the companies about the due diligence process which forms a major pre-merger activity.

### OR

- b) Sagar Pumps Ltd. and Lakshmi Pumps Ltd are major players in the business of manufacturing water pumps required for agricultural purpose. Both the companies plan for a merger, however there are chances that the merger may lead to a monopoly. Advice the companies about the provisions related to regulation of Combination under Competition Act.
- Q. 2 a) Discuss the different forms of Corporate Restructuring through Organic and Inorganic route.

#### OR

- b) What is Stamp Duty? Is levy of stamp duty applicable for transfer of property taking place due to merger or amalgamation? Support your answer with landmark judgements.
- Q. 3 a) What are Sick Companies? Discuss the revival of sick companies through scheme of amalgamation highlighting the recent amendments.

#### OR

- b) What are Listing Agreements? Discuss in detail the contents of Clause 40A and 40B.
- Q. 4 a) Write short notes
  - i) Person Acting in Concert
  - ii) Kinds of Shares

# OR

- b) Write short notes
  - i) Capital Gains
  - ii) Penalties under Competition Act
- Q. 5 a) When does an open offer get triggered under SEBI Takeover Code? What is the procedure for making open offer? Are there any exemptions to it?

## OR

b) Discuss the provisions of FEMA 19 and 20 with reference to merger and amalgamation.

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