

Subject : General Laws Relating to Media

Day : Friday

Date : 19/05/2017



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N.B:

- 1) Attempt ANY SIX questions including Q. No. 1 which is **COMPULSORY**.
- 2) Q. No.1 carries 20 marks and other carry 12 marks.

- Q.1** Write short notes on ANY FOUR of the following:
- a) Romesh Thaper v. State of madras
 - b) Priyadarshini Matoo case
 - c) Flaws of Media
 - d) Internet
 - e) Fair deal
 - f) Media and terror attacks
- Q.2** Discuss the restrictions imposed on Indian constitution on freedom of press and media.
- Q.3** Explain in detail the history of press in Indian and also state its role in the independence of India.
- Q.4** State whether there is any need of official secrets Act, 1923 in today's world of Information.
- Q.5** Discuss the author and owner of copyrights.
- Q.6** Discuss the constitutional validity of censor board in light of Vishroopam case and film P.K controversy.
- Q.7** Discuss how the attempt of was made to curb the independence of press in Emergency.
- Q.8** Write a detail note on 'media trial'.
- Q.9** Discuss the role of press in Democratic country like India.
- Q.10** Write a note on defamation.

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Subject : Print, Broadcasting and Electronic Media

Day : Saturday
Date : 20/05/2017



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- 1) Attempt **ANY SIX** questions in all including **Q.No.1** is **COMPULSORY**.
- 2) **Q.No.1** carries **20** marks and all other questions carry **12** marks each.

- Q.1** Write short notes on **ANY FOUR** of the following:
- a) Terrorism and Television
 - b) Vodafone Case
 - c) Electronic Media
 - d) Sakal Newspaper case
 - e) Broadcasting service
 - f) Jessica Lal Case
- Q.2** 'No right is absolute, every right has some restriction'. Justify the statement in light of the laws regulating media.
- Q.3** "Working of the cable industry facing difficulties and Cable Act failed to address these difficulties". Discuss the 2002 Amendment relating to Cable Act.
- Q.4** Explain the aim and objectives of Press Council of India under the Press Council Act, 1978.
- Q.5** Discuss the functions of Board of film certification under the Cinematograph Act, 1952.
- Q.6** Explain the composition and functions of Prasar Bharati Board under The Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation India) Act, 1990.
- Q.7** Discuss the necessity for regulation of Print Media.
- Q.8** Elaborate the concept of online media and state how it is controlled by the government.
- Q.9** Examine the constitutional validity of the Indian Telegraphy Act, 1885.
- Q.10** Discuss the issues relating to role of social media and internet in society and also discuss how to control internet misuse and social media.

Subject : Media and Regulatory Framework

Day : Monday

Date : 22/05/2017



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- 2) **Q. No.1** carries **20** marks and other carry **12** marks.

- Q.1** Write short notes on **ANY FOUR** of the following:
- a) Forms of media
 - b) Artistic work
 - c) Musical work
 - d) Obscenity
 - e) modern journalism
 - f) Electronic media
- Q.2** Explain the necessity for enactment of working Journalists (conditions of service Act)
- Q.3** Explain the main features of the official secrecy Act and their impact on media freedom.
- Q.4** Discuss now right to privacy can be enforced against press citing the case of Aishwarya Rai (baby case)
- Q.5** Discuss the circumstances when for media can be held liable for negligence.
- Q.6** Explain the act which does not infringement of copyright.
- Q.7** A elaborate the event instance where one copyright owner can sue another copyright owner in the light of, Navsahitya Prakashan v. Aanand Kumar case.
- Q.8** Write salient features of press council Act and Right to information Act and their effect on media freedom.
- Q.9** Discuss the purpose of right to Information Act 2005 and its impact on the provisions of official secretes Act 1925.
- Q.10** "Courts are the dispenser of Justice", the media can certainly report the proceedings of court, but it can neither tarnish the image of court nor prejudice the right of accused in any way". Justify.

Subject : Advertising, Media Trial And Self Regulation

Day : Tuesday

Date : 23/05/2017



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- 2) **Q.No.1** carries **20** marks and all other questions carry **12** marks each.

Q.1 Write short notes on **ANY FOUR** of the following:

- a) Telecom Regulatory Authority of India
- b) The Advertising Standards Council of India
- c) Press Council of India
- d) Media Victimization
- e) Right to information
- f) Reporting of Court Proceedings

Q.2 "The survival and flowering of Indian democracy owes a great deal to the freedom and vigor of Media". Comment.

Q.3 Explain Article 19(1) (a) of the constitution, specifically with reference to the public's right to know, which has been held by the supreme court to be part of the freedom of speech (Indian Express v. Union of India).

Q.4 Explain Right to Privacy U/Art 21 of Indian Constitution and comment on the exponential growth of media, particularly electronic media, has resulted in a corresponding decline in an individual's privacy.

Q.5 What are the responsibility & role of Media during terror attack?

Q.6 "The law of contempt is one of the grounds for reasonable restrictions under Article 19(2) to the freedom of speech and expression". Discuss this statement with freedom of press.

Q.7 Explain how media can promote education.

Q.8 "There is need for a new law to regulate social media to curb malicious and defamatory messages circulated online". Discuss.

Q.9 "Media needs to question itself prior to printing on whether the information is of public interest or not". Discuss.

Q.10 Explain Media Trial and comment on "Presumption of innocence of an accused is a legal presumption and should not be destroyed at the very threshold through the process of media trial and that too when the investigation is pending".