



# BRAINWARE UNIVERSITY

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Programme – BBA LL.B.-2019/BBA LL.B.-2020

Course Name – Media & Law

Course Code - BBALLB705B

( Semester VII )

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2:30 Hours

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.]

## Group-A

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

1 x 15=15

1. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

(i) Choose among the following is not a Fundamental Right

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| a) Right to Equality | b) Right to Property          |
| c) Right to Freedom  | d) Right against exploitation |

(ii) Select the meaning of the term ethics

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| a) Substances        | b) Understanding human nature |
| c) Study of molarity | d) All of these               |

(iii) Select the Article in the Constitution that is specially for Independence of Press

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| a) Article 13 | b) Article 15          |
| c) Article 17 | d) No separate Article |

(iv) Choose the correct statement from the following

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| a) Parliamentary privileges do not extend to Attorney General | b) Parliamentary privileges extend to President |
| c) Freedom of speech in Parliament is a collective privilege  | d) All of these                                 |

(v) Choose the true statement from the 1 Constitution of India does not mention

Parliamentary Privileges specifically in any articles 2 There may be contempt of the House without committing a breach of privilege

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| a) Only 1       | b) Only 2          |
| c) Both 1 and 2 | d) Neither 1 nor 2 |

(vi) Choose the benefits of media law

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| a) Media law encompasses a variety of legal disciplines making it an ideal introduction to the law system for journalists and | b) Media law provides an excellent opportunity to examine society's numerous conflicting rights and interests as the rights to free |
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(xv) Identify the year in which the first Indian media were established in the late 18th century with print media

- a) 1889
- b) 1780
- c) 1760
- d) 1988

**Group-B**

(Short Answer Type Questions)

3 x 5=15

- 2. Explain the ownership pattern of Television and Newspaper (3)
- 3. Define the relationship between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy in the Indian Constitution. (3)
- 4. Differentiate between print and broadcast media. (3)
- 5. Explain Commercial advertisements are not included in Article 19(1)(a) of the Constitution. (3)
- 6. Distinguish between law and ethics. (3)

**OR**

Compare the relation between culture and ethics (3)

**Group-C**

(Long Answer Type Questions)

5 x 6=30

- 7. Rewrite a brief section on the Press and Registration of Books Act of 1867 requirements for the registration of books and newspapers. (5)
- 8. Discuss about the Public Authority responsibilities under the RTI Act of 2005. (5)
- 9. Determine the justifications for the need for legislation in media studies. (5)
- 10. Analyze the term Working journalists (5)
- 11. Explain briefly on the code of ethics for journalists. (5)
- 12. Evaluate the main objective of Official Secrets Act 1923 (5)

**OR**

Summarize the main objective of RTI 2005 act. (5)

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