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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE
EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024**

Second Semester

B.A English Language and Literature Model II Journalism

Complementary Course - EN2CMT02 - MEDIA LAWS

2017 ADMISSION ONWARDS

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. State the importance of Feroz Gandhi Act.
2. What are the particulars to be printed on newspapers under the PRB Act, 1867?
3. What is the punishment for civil contempt of court?
4. State the penalty for harbouring spies.
5. State the penalties provided under the Working Journalists Act, 1955.
6. What are the remedies available against infringement of copyright?
7. What is the object of Young Persons (Harmful Publications) Act, 1956?
8. What is oral defamation?
9. What is bailable offence?
10. What is fair comment?
11. What is the composition of broadcasting council?
12. What is advertisement code?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. State the functions of Press Registrar.





14. Write a short note on the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971.
15. Do you think Official Secrets Act is still relevant in India?
16. Who is a 'journalist' according to Working Journalists Act, 1955?
17. Write a note on owner of copyright.
18. Explain the Press Council guidelines regarding the confidentiality of the sources.
19. Write a short note on Cinematoraph Act.
20. How far the constitution of Prasar Bharathi Board given autonomy to AIR and Doordarshan?
21. What are the major offences and penalties under the Cable Television Regulation Act?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. Briefly discuss the historical perspective of mass media laws in India.
23. What is magic remedy? Explain the media related provisions in Drugs and Magic Remedies(Objectionable Advertisements)Act,1954.
24. What are the powers and functions of the Press Council of India?
25. What are the legal requirements for certification of a film in India?

(2×15=30)

