Andhra Pradesh Civil Judge (Mains) 2011

Paper II: Criminal Laws · compulsory paper

1. Answer the following questions (4 marks each)

(a) What irregularities vitiate the criminal proceedings of the Court of the Judicial Magistrate of First Class? 4 marks

(b) What irregularities do not vitiate the proceedings of the Court of the Judicial Magistrate of First Class? 4 marks

2. Describe the ingredients of the following offences (2 marks each)

(a) Dowry death. 2 marks

(b) Offence under Section 498A of the IPC. 2 marks

(c) Defamation. 2 marks

(d) Criminal intimidation. 2 marks

3. Answer the following (4 marks each)

(a) Describe the procedure for the trial of warrant cases by a Magistrate with special reference to cases instituted on a police report. 4 marks

(b) Write a brief note on plea bargaining. 4 marks

4. Explain the following (2 marks each)

(a) Victim compensation scheme. 2 marks

(b) The power of the State Government under Sections 432 and 433 of Cr.P.C. 2 marks

(c) The difference between “bail bond” and “surety bond”. 2 marks

(d) The exceptions, if any, to the proposition that a Judge or Magistrate shall not try any criminal case in which he is a party or is personally interested. 2 marks

5. Write a brief note on the probative value of the following (2 marks each)

(a) Injured Witness. 2 marks

(b) Hostile Witness. 2 marks

(c) Partisan Witness. 2 marks

(d) Accomplice. 2 marks

6. Write a brief note on the following (4 marks each)

(a) What is the evidentiary value of the testimony of an approver? 4 marks

(b) Can a conviction be based solely on the testimony of an approver? Give reasons. 4 marks

7. Write a short note on any four of the following (2 marks each)

(a) Criminal conspiracy. 2 marks

(b) Criminal trespass. 2 marks

(c) Criminal breach of trust. 2 marks

(d) Right of private defence. 2 marks

(e) Dying declaration. 2 marks

(f) Extra-judicial confession. 2 marks

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