Telangana Civil Judge (Mains) 2024

Paper – II (Criminal Laws) · compulsory paper

Date: 10th November, 2024

Time: 3 Hours, from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm · Maximum Marks: 100

Instructions to the candidates

a. Question paper consists of 10 questions. Answer all questions. Marks are indicated against each question.

b. Questions must be answered in English only. If the answers are not legible, such answers will not be evaluated.

c. Writ your hall ticket number only in the space provided in the first page on the main answer booklet. Do not either write your name or hall ticket number or any mark, anywhere in the main answer booklet/additional answer sheets.

d. Any attempt by the candidate to disclose his/her identity in any manner in the answer sheets will disqualify him/her.

e. No candidate will be permitted to leave the examination room/hall before 10:30 am.

1. Write a brief note pinpointing the differences between theft, extortion, robbery and dacoity. (10 marks)

2. a) What is the difference between the offences of 'criminal breach of trust' and 'cheating'? (5 marks)
b) Define 'unlawful assembly' by citing Section of law and what is the punishment prescribed for a member of an unlawful assembly. (5 marks)

3. a) Write a brief note on Section 41-A of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 and a summary about the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Arnesh Kumar v. State of Bihar. (5 marks)
b) Write a brief note about power of the Police Officer [to seize] the property under Section 102 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973. (5 marks)

4. a) Write a brief note on 'shared household' as defined under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005. (5 marks)
b) Write a brief note on duties and functions of the Protection Officers under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005. (5 marks)

5. Define any of the following four:–
a) 'Prostitution' in terms of Section 2 (f) of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956.
b) 'Race meeting' in terms of Section 2 (iii) of the Telangana Gaming Act, 1974.
c) 'Unlawful activity' in terms of Section 2 (o) of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967.
d) 'Domestic Relationship' in terms of Section 2 (f) of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005.
e) 'Mental Illness' in terms of Section 2 (s) of the Mental Health Act, 1917. (10 marks)

6. a) Define the following:–
i) 'Grievous hurt' under Section 320 of the Indian Penal Code.
ii) 'Public nuisance' under Section 268 of the Indian Penal Code. (5 marks)

b) Narrate the order of examination including re-examination of witnesses in terms of Section 138 of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872. (5 marks)

7. a) Narrate the protection of witnesses in terms of Section 44 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967. (5 marks)
b) Discuss the power of trial Court to direct interim compensation in terms of Section 143 (A) of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. (5 marks)

8. a) Can a 'Zoo' be operated without being recognized by the authority? Discuss with specific reference to Section 38 (H) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972? (5 marks)
b) Narrate the power of an authority under the Telangana Excise Act, 1968 to cancel or suspend licence. (5 marks)

9. a) Define 'defamation' under Section 499 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and point out at least five (5) exceptions. (5 marks)
b) Point out differences between 'criminal trespass', 'house trespass', 'lurking house-trespass' and 'house breaking' by referring to the Section/s of law. (5 marks)

10. a) Narrate the circumstances under which a Judge has to decide as to the admissibility of evidence in terms of Section 136 of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 with illustrations. (5 marks)
b) Answer any <u>two</u> of the following:
(i) Define Dying Declaration and its evidentiary value.
(ii) Define 'Domestic Violence' as stipulated under Section 3 of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005.
(iii) Narrate at least three grounds under which a person can be convicted under Section 34 of the Telangana Excise Act, 1968. (5 marks)