

## **PAPER V- A Sociology of Law**

### **Unit - A**

Sociology of Law - Meaning, Scope & Subject Matters, Law and Social Structure; Ancient Laws - Roman law, Manusmriti, Sources of Laws - Folkways, Customs, Conventions, Judicial Decisions.

### **Unit - B**

Sociological thought on law, Marx - Law as a part of super structure.

Weber- Law of legitimacy Rational legal, & Traditional laws, Durkheim- Repressive and Restitutive laws, Types of laws: Tribal laws; Modern laws- Constitution, Judiciary Criminal and Civil laws.

### **Unit - C**

Law and Weaker Sections in India: Constitutional Provisions, Directive Principles of State , Untouchability Act, Hindu Succession Act, Law & Social Change- Civil Liberties and Human Rights and Protection of Public Interest Legal Profession.

### **Unit - D**

Legal Practice as Profession and Professional Socialization of Lawyers, Social Legislation and Law Enforcement Law and Social Control.

### **Unit - E**

Lawyer - Client relationship, Interface of Law and Politics, Social Bases of Lawyers; Modern Law Democracy, Role of Judiciary in Secular Democratic System.

### **Books recommended :**

1. Reihard Bendix - Max-weber an Intellectual Portrait.
2. P. B. Gajendra gadkar : Law, Lawyers and Social Change, New Delhi. National forum of Lawyers and legal aid, 1973.
3. Marc Galanter, Law and Society in Modern India, New Delhi. Oxford, 1988.
4. Mare Galanter, Competing Equalities - Law and the Backward classes in India, Oxford, New Delhi, 1994.
5. Desai A.R. Violations of Democratic Rights in India, Bombay, Popular, 1973.

6. Mohenty Maharaja, P.N. Pumkherjee, People's Rights, Social Movement and the State in the Third World. Sage : Lev 2
7. Aubert, Vilhelm (ed.), Sociology of Law, Penjuin Books, 1969.
8. Sharma, K.L., Sociology of Law and Legal Profession, Rawat, 1984.
9. Gupta, M.; Vidhi Ka Samajshastra (Hindi), Jaipur Pub. House, Jaipur.