

B.A.LL.B FIVE YEARS INTEGRATED COURSE

IV – SEMESTER

Paper 1.3 403 – Family Law – I (Hindu Law)

Note :

1. In order to ensure that students do not leave out important portions of the syllabus, examiners shall be free to repeat the questions set in the previous examination.
 2. Leading cases prescribed under this paper may be read whenever they are relevant.
1. **Hindu Law** : Sources, Who are Hindu and to whom Hindu Law apply, Schools and application, Coparcenary, Joint Family Property and Self Acquired Property; Karta and his powers and obligation, Religious and Charitable Endowments - Essentials of an endowments kinds, shebait and mahant.
 2. **The Hindu Marriage Act, 1953** : Conditions of a Hindu Marriage, Its Ceremonies and registration.
Void & Voidable Marriage : Resitution of Conjugal rights Judicial Separation, Legitimacy of Children of Void and Voidable Marriage.
Divorce : Alternative Relief in divorce, Proceedings, divorce by mutual consent. One year bar to divorce, divorced person when may marry again; Jurisdiction and procedure. Maintenance pendente lite & expenses of proceedings, permanent alimony and maintenance.
 3. **The Hindu Succession Act, 1956** : Succession to the property of a Hindu male; Succession to interest in Coparcenary property, property of a Hindu Female; Succession to the property of a hindu female, General rules and disqualifications of succession, Escheat.
 4. **The Hindu Adoption and Maintenance Act, 1956** : Requisites of a void adoption; Capacity to take in adoption; Capacity to given in adoption, persons who may be adopted; other conditions for a valid adoption. Effect of adoption, Miscellaneous provisions of adoptions. Maintenance of widowed daughter-in-law; Dependents and their maintenance, Amount of maintenance.
 5. **The Hindu Minority and Guardianship Act, 1956** : Natural Guardians and their powers; Testamentary guardianship and their powers. de-facto guardian, general provisions for guardianship. Guardian declared or appointed by the Court.
 6. **Partition Under Hindu Law** : Meaning, Property for partition, Persons entitled to sue for partition and allotment of shares, partition how effected, determination of shares, Re-opening of partition. Reunion; Debts-Doctrine of pious obligation, Antecedent debts.

BOOKS FOR STUDY :

1. Shrinivas, M.M. : Principles of Hindu Law
2. Raghavacharya : Hindu Law - Principles and Precedents.
3. Mulla : Principles of Hindu Law
4. Derrett, J.D.M. : Modern Hindu Law

5. P. Dewan : Modern Hindu Law
6. Tahir Mohmood : Hindu Law
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