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B.A. LL.B. (FIVE YEARS INTEGRATED LAW COURSE)
(SEMESTER PATTERN) CREDIT SYSTEM
EXAMINATION : DECEMBER - 2025
FIRST/FIFTH SEMESTER
Sub.: Law of Crimes (LW-103/5003)

Date : 05/12/2025	Total Marks : 60	Time: 10.00 am to 12.30 pm
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Instructions: 1) All questions are compulsory.
2) Figure indicate to the right full marks.

Q. 1. Answer the following question. (15)

A) Discuss the various theories and kinds of punishments under BNS, 2023 and their significance in modern criminal jurisprudence.

OR

B) Discuss the provisions relating to offences against children (Sections 93–99) under BNS, 2023 with special reference to trafficking and exploitation.

Q. 2. Answer the following question. (15)

A) ‘All murders are culpable homicides but all culpable homicides are not murder’. Explain with suitable case laws.

OR

B) Discuss the constitutional implications of offences against the State under BNS, 2023.

Q. 3. Write Short Notes. (any four) (20)

- a) Mistake of Fact
- b) Organised Crime
- c) Criminal Trespass
- d) Theft
- e) Criminal Intimidation
- f) Criminal Force against Women

Q. 4. Answer the following questions. (10)

A) A group of people gathers on a street to protest peacefully. However, some members of the group start damaging public property and attacking passersby. The police intervene and arrest several individuals.

Questions:

- 1. Does this situation amount to unlawful assembly and rioting under BNS? Explain with reasons.
- 2. Can all members of the group be held responsible for the violent acts? Discuss with relevant provisions.

OR

B) A, knowing that B is mentally unstable, provokes him to set fire to the house of C. B, in consequence of A’s instigation, sets fire to C’s house, causing extensive damage.

Short Questions:

- 1. Can B be held criminally liable for arson under IPC? Justify your answer.
 - 2. What will be the legal consequences for A under IPC?
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