

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86

(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2004 –2005)

SUBJECT CODE: SC/MC/LL64

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2007

BRANCH III - SOCIOLOGY

SIXTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE

PAPER : LEGAL LITERACY IN INDIA

TIME : 3 HOURS.

MAX.MARKS:100

SECTION – A

(10x2=20)

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS:

1. Define legal literacy
2. What is “Meher”?
3. Lock Adalat
4. Untouchability
5. SAPINDA relationship
6. Who are Agnates?
7. What is PIL?
8. Name any three labour Legislations.
9. Who is a Minor?
10. Water Cess

SECTION – B

(5x8=40)

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS:

11. Discuss the role of social legislations in a democratic and welfare State like India.
12. Discuss in brief the structure and features of the Indian judiciary.
13. Explain the provisions for constitutional remedies in India.
14. What is dowry and what are the legal provisions for the prohibition of such practices?
15. Discuss in brief the laws pertaining to Muslim Marriage.
16. Enumerate the salient principles and features of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986
17. Write a short note on the Civil Procedure Code.
18. What do you understand by Legal Aid and what are the measures adopted to implement the same?

SECTION – C

(2x20=40)

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS:

19. Elaborate on the significance of Child Welfare and the relevant legislations.
20. Discuss the major provisions of the Contract Labour Act 1970
21. Examine in detail the features of the Hindu Adoption and Maintenance Act, 1956.
22. Analyse the evolution of the Indian Legal system-its origins and features.
