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Second Year of Three Year Law Course (Semester - IV)**Examination, November - 2017****INTERPRETATION OF STATUTES (Paper -I)****Sub. Code : 64256****Day and Date : Tuesday, 14-11-2017****Total Marks : 100****Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.**

- Instructions :**
- 1) All questions are compulsory.
 - 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q1) What is 'Interpretation' of Statutes? What is the purpose of interpretation of statutes? What are the principles of Interpretation of Statutes? **[20]**

OR

Explain fully the process of law making and comment on the supremacy of Legislative law over judicial law making. What are the constraints on Judicial Law making?

Q2) Analyse the Internal Aids to interpretation of statutes with respect to their utility in interpreting the statutes. **[20]**

OR

Discuss the 'Golden Rule' of interpretation of statutes. In what way Golden Rule of interpretation differs from Mischief Rule of interpretation?

Q3) What is 'Welfare Legislation'? What are the basic considerations in interpreting Welfare Legislation? State the difference in interpretation of Welfare Legislation and Penal Statutes. **[20]**

OR

Explain the following Presumptions of Statutory Interpretation-

- a) Statutes are territorial in operation.
- b) Presumption as to the Jurisdiction of the court.

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Q4) Explain the following maxims-

- a) Utres valet portior quam pareat.
- b) Delegatus non potest delegare.

OR

Discuss the following principles of interpretation of Constitution-

- a) Doctrine of Pith and Substance.
- b) Doctrine of Colourable Legislation.

Q5) Write short notes on- (Any Four)

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- a) Noscitur a sociis
- b) Statutes in Pari Materia
- c) In Bonam Partem
- d) Interpretation of Codifying Statutes
- e) Interpretation of Substantive Statutes

