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JURISPRUDENCE

BASIC THEORY OF LAW

PAPER CODE: CC01

Time Allotted: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 100

*The questions are of equal value
The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

Answer Question No. 7 and any four questions from the rest

1. Define Jurisprudence. Comment on the decline and Revival of Natural Law Theory in 20th Century. 20
2. (a) “Law is a command over the sovereign backed by sanctions”. Substantiate the above statement given by in Analytical Positivism. 15
(b) Discuss how far Austin’s theory is different from Bentham’s theory. 5
3. Critically examine the theory of Social Engineering propounded by Roscoe Pound. 20
4. Explain the correlation between the following: 10+10
(i) Law and Morals
(ii) Rights and Duties
5. Explain the concept of “Volksgeist”. Critically evaluate the theory set forth by the Historical School of law. 5+15
6. (a) Define Property. Discuss the various theories of property. 10
(b) Explain the nature of legal personality with the help of judicial pronouncements. 10
7. Write short notes on any *four*: 5×4 = 20
 - (a) Justice
 - (b) Grundnorm
 - (c) Legal status of Unborn Child
 - (d) Corporate Personality
 - (e) Scandinavian Realism
 - (f) Ownership.

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