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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**

LL.M. Non-Specialization 1st Semester Examination, 2021

**CONSTITUTIONAL LAW I**

**PAPER CODE: LL.M.FC 1.1**

Time Allotted: 4 Hours

Full Marks: 100

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**Answer any four questions. The questions are of equal value**

25×4 = 100

1. Article 32 is regarded as the very heart and soul of the Indian Constitution by Dr. B. R. Ambedkar. Examine the recent trends in regard to constitutional remedies differentiating it with Article 226 of the Constitution.
2. Article 13 of the Constitution of India deals with the impact of fundamental rights on State action. Discuss with the help of suitable cases.
3. "Advent of social media with the advancement in technology has expanded the role of media in the present society". — In this light discuss the freedom of speech and expression of press and their limitations with the help of suitable cases.
4. The Court evolved the principle of judicial independence by creating the collegium system which was in use since 1993. Elaborate the provisions regarding the appointment and transfer of Judges of the Supreme Courts and the High Courts in this regards.
5. Right to privacy under the ambit of right to life and personal liberty covers a whole range of rights. Discuss the right to privacy and disclosure of dreadful diseases.
6. Equality before the Law is a negative concept while Equal Protection of Laws carries a positive connotation. Elucidate your answer with reasons.
7. State the Preamble to the Constitution of India. Discuss its utility as to certain aims and objectives which the Constitution desires to achieve. Is that Preamble a part of the Constitution? Can the Preamble be amended? Support your answer with cases.
8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:
  - (a) Minority Rights
  - (b) Appointment and powers of the Governor
  - (c) Directive Principles of State Policy

12½ × 2 = 25

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