

Administrative Training Institute  
Government of West Bengal

Half Yearly Departmental Examination for Officers of the West Bengal Civil Service (Executive)  
May 2019

Law – Paper I  
Criminal Law and the Law of Evidence (Without Books)

Full Marks – 100

Time – 3 hours

Pass Marks – 50

Group - A

Answer any four questions :

1. Define any four (IPC) : 4x5 = 20  
(a) Wrongful loss; (b) Document; (c) Hurt; (d) Theft; (e) Abduction; (f) Wrongful restraint
2. State on whom the burden of proof lies if the questions are : 4x5 = 20  
(a) Whether a person is alive or dead;  
(b) Whether a child is legitimate;  
(c) Whether a person is a tenant;  
(d) Whether the claimant is the owner of the property
3. Explain any four (Indian Evidence Act) : 4x5 = 20  
(a) Fact; (b) Disproved; (c) Conclusive proof; (d) Evidence; (e) Leading question; (f) Shall presume
4. Distinguish between :  
(a) Admission and Confession  
(b) Inquiry and Trial 10+10 = 20
5. Define Public Nuisance. When can a Magistrate issue an order for removal of nuisance? 20
6. State what offence, if any, the following constitutes : 4x5 = 20  
(a) If a policeman fires on a mob by the order of his superior in conformity through the command of the law. What is the liability of the policeman?  
(b) A cuts down a tree on Z's ground with the intention of dishonestly taking out the tree from Z's possession without his consent. What offence if any committed by A?  
(c) A doctor in good faith tells the daughter that her father has cancer and his life is in danger. The daughter died of shock after hearing this. Is the doctor liable?  
(d) A, B and C were chasing D to kill him in order to take revenge, but suddenly they saw a policeman coming from another side. They got afraid and turned back to run. But D shot B in his leg, even when there was no imminent danger of harm. How far is D liable?

Group – B

Answer any two questions :

7. (a) Explain the offence u/s 7 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1947  
(b) State whether a Secretary of a registered co-operative society or an arbitrator be tried under this Act 6+4 = 10
8. Explain the procedure for confiscation of essential commodity. 10
9. (a) Who are the persons authorized to investigate the offences under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1947  
(b) Is there any necessity of previous sanction for prosecution under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1947? If so, then from whom such sanctions are to be obtained? 5+5 = 10
10. What is criminal misconduct by a public servant under Prevention of Corruption Act? 10

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Law – Paper II  
Land Law and General Laws (Without Books)

Full Marks – 100

Time – 3 hours

Pass Marks – 50

Group - A

Answer any four questions :

1. Write short notes on any five of the following : 3x5 = 15  
(a) Tank fishery; (b) Encumbrance; (c) Person interested; (d) Dwelling unit; (e) Urban land; (f) To hold in relation to vacate land; (g) Court (Land Acquisition Act, 1894)
2. How much land an intermediary shall be entitled to retain as per section 6.1(a),(b),(c) and (d) of the West Bengal Estate Acquisition Act, 1953  
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3. Whether the right of cultivation by a lawful heir of the deceased bargadar would continue. Discuss.  
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4. Whether the Civil Court shall entertain any suit or application for preparation or revision of record of rights under the West Bengal Estate Acquisition Act, 1953  
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5. Define any three with reference to the W.B.L.R. Act, 1955 15  
(a) Holding; (b) Revenue; (c) Consolidation; (d) Prescribed Authority; (e) Raiyat

Group - B

Answer Question No. 6 and any two from the rest :

6. Define any five : 2x5 = 10  
(a) "Public Demand" with reference to The Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913  
(b) "Certificate Officer" with reference to The Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913  
(c) "Office bearer" with reference to The West Bengal Panchayat Act, 1973  
(d) "Sabhadhipati" with reference to The West Bengal Panchayat Act, 1973  
(e) "Mouza" with reference to The West Bengal Panchayat Act, 1973  
(f) "Election Commission" with reference to The Representation of People Act, 1950  
(g) "appropriate Government" with reference to The Representation of People Act, 1951
7. What are such other function the Gram Panchayat has to perform under section 20 of the West Bengal Panchayat Act, 1973? 15
8. What procedure to be followed in making appointment of presiding officers for polling stations under the Representation of People Act, 1951?  
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9. (a) Who may execute certificate under the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913?  
(b) When certificate may be executed under the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913? 5+10 = 15
10. What are procedures to be followed for removal of the member of the Pradhan and Upa Pradhan under the West Bengal Panchayat Act, 1973? 15

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Law – Paper III  
General Laws (With Books)

Time – 3 hours

Full Marks – 100

Pass Marks – 50

Group - A

Answer any two questions :

1. (a) Is there any absolute bar under the Government Land (Regulation of Transfer) Act, 1993 on the transfer of the Government land held by the lessee?  
(b) Is there any provision in the said Act for transfer by the lessee despite such bar? 10+6 = 16
2. (a) What are the objects of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875?  
(b) What is meant by "estate" in this Act? 6+6+4 = 16  
(c) Who is Superintendent of Survey?
3. Define the term 'fishery'. What are the provisions laid down under section 6 of the Bengal Inland Fisheries Act, 1984 for protection of fish? 6+10 = 16

Group – B

Answer any two questions :

4. Write short notes on any four of the following with reference to the Act specified against each : 4x4 = 16  
(a) Handling [The Environment Protection Act, 1986]  
(b) Guardian [The Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2000]  
(c) Arms [The Arms Act, 1959]  
(d) Human Rights [The Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993]  
(e) Unsecured Trophy [The Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972]
5. (a) State the constitution of the State Human Rights Commission  
(b) How the Chairperson and other members of the State Commission are appointed and removed? 8+8 = 16
6. Discuss the provisions for rehabilitation and social reintegration of child as stated in the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 16
7. State the powers of the Central Government to take measures to protect and improve environment under section 3 of the Environment Protection Act, 1986 16

Group – C

Answer any two questions :

8. (a) What particulars are to be endorsed on documents admitted for registration?  
(b) Under which provision of the Registration Act, 1908, a sale deed in respect of sale of a land valued at Rs. 1 Lakh is required to be registered  
(c) From which time a registered sale deed would commence to operate? 6+6+6 = 18
9. State the obligatory functions of a municipality under the West Bengal Municipal Act, 1993 18
10. Who is a Foreigner? Discuss the obligations of Hostel keepers and others to furnish particulars of foreigners accommodated under section 7 of the Foreigners Act, 1946. 18
11. (a) Define the expression 'duly stamped' with reference to the Indian Stamp Act, 1899.  
(b) What are the circumstances in which an instrument not 'duly stamped' may be admitted in evidence under the Indian Stamp Act, 1899? 6+12 = 18

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**Half Yearly Departmental Examination for Officers of the IAS & WBCS(Exe.)  
May 2019**

**Accounts – Paper I (Without Books)**

**Time – 2 hours**

**Full Marks – 50**

**Pass Marks – 25**

**Answer Question No. 1 and any three from the rest**

1. Write short notes on the following :

(5x4 = 20)

- (a) Compilation of accounts
- (b) Transaction with other Governments
- (c) Consolidated Fund
- (d) Treasury Inspection

2. What are the main principles governing the allocation of expenditure on a Capital Scheme between Capital and Revenue Accounts ?

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3. Discuss about Codification of Heads of Accounts

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4. Discuss in brief about structure of Government Accounts

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5. (a) What is Finance Act ?

(b) Discuss the importance of Appropriation Act

(5x2 = 10)

6. (a) What is the procedure for opening the Treasury Strong Room ?

(b) By whom, claims are presented to the Treasury ? What are the three principal processes involved while making payment from Government Account ?

(5x2 = 10)

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Accounts – Paper II (With Books)

Time – 3 hours

Full Marks – 100

Pass Marks – 50

Answer Question No. 1 and any four from the rest

(10x2 = 20)

1. Answer the following questions (any ten) :

- (a) A Government employee is allowed some additional Pay to save him from the loss of substantive pay. What is the term used to describe such pay as per provisions of WBSR Pt-I ? Is it allowed on other ground ?
- (b) A Government employee is deputed by Government to an autonomous authority which pays salary from their own source. Whether the said employee be treated in 'Foreign Service' or not? Answer with reason(s)
- (c) When service as a Probationer is treated as period spent on 'Duty'
- (d) A Government officer will attain the date of retirement on superannuation on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019. 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019 both are holidays(say).on which day he will handover charge of the office? What will be his actual date of retirement on superannuation?
- (e) Whether the following may be accepted as reliable evidence regarding age or date birth of a Government employee-----
  - i) Affidavit sworn in this respect
  - ii) Report of the Ossification Test
- (f) What is the rate of annual increment as per WBS(ROPA) 2009? How it is calculated and Rounded off?
- (g) What is Earnest Money? How is it different from Security Deposit?
- (h) What is 'Dies Non' ?
- (i) A Government employee has 300 days of Earned leave at credit as on 30-06-2018. His date of superannuation is 31-08-2018. How many days Cash Equivalent of leave salary is admissible to him if he has availed of 8 days earned leave during the period from 01-07-18 to 31-08-2018?
- (j) Under which system Municipal Accounts are maintained now?
- (k) Who is 'Competent Authority' in respect of any particular financial matter as per West Bengal Panchayat ( Zillah Parishad and Panchayat Samiti) Accounts and Financial Rules, 2003?
- (l) How much portion of the budget of the Municipality shall be compulsorily earmarked and used for providing basic services to the urban poor including inhabitants of slum areas?

(5x4 = 20)

2. Distinguish between ---

- (a) Deposit Work & Interdepartmental Work
- (b) Administrative Approval & Technical Sanction
- (c) Temporary Post & Tenure Post
- (d) Leave not due & Extraordinary Leave

3. (a) Who conducts Statutory Audit of a Zilla Parishad? What is the duty of Auditor to verify in course of audit?  
(b) What is the authority of the Auditor as laid down in the West Bengal Panchayat (Zilla Parishad and Panchayat Samiti) Accounts & Financial Rules 2003?  $12+8 = 20$
4. (a) What are the limitations in making substantive appointment? Can premature increment be allowed to a Government employee?  
(b) Can a Government employee take up employment under a body corporate wholly owned by Government, during his/ her period of leave? Can leave be granted to a Government employee who is under suspension? Will the situation change after the suspension is terminated?  $10 \times 2 = 20$
5. (a) Under West Bengal Panchayat (Zilla Parishad and Panchayat Samiti) Accounts & Financial Rules, 2003, how would public contribution be recorded in an estimate?  
(b) What are the procedures to be adopted in case a cheque issued by a Panchayat Samiti is lost or lapsed?  $10 \times 2 = 20$
6. (a) What is Lien? Under what circumstances, Lien may be suspended?  
(b) Distinguish between Capital Expenditure and Revenue Expenditure  $10 \times 2 = 20$
7. (a) What are the conditions regulating the acceptance of Fees by a Government employee? What are the important points to be considered while conveying approval to the acceptance of Fees by a Government employee?  
(b) What are the standards of Financial Propriety under WBFR(I)?  $10 \times 2 = 20$

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**Hindi – Part-I (Written)**  
**Translation, Letter Writing, Comprehension & Construction of Sentences**

**Full Marks – 45**  
**Pass Marks – 22½**

**Time – 1 hour 45 minutes**

1. निम्नलिखित अवतरण का हिन्दी में अनुवाद कीजिए :

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Last December we decided to arrange a trip to Tarapith by boat along the river Dwarka. We started from a small canal near Mallarpur. It connects the river Dwarka with our village. Our joys knew no bounds when we got into the boat. The boat slowly passed along the canal. It was really an enjoyable scene when the boat entered into the Dwarka flowing in her vigorous course. A boat journey is a rare experience. Its memory is cherished in the mind and gives us great delight for a long time. The dip in the river, swimming and worshipping the deity was overwhelming.

Or

One day Newton sat in a garden brooding over some scientific ideas when he saw an apple falling to the ground. "Why does the apple fall?" Newton could not get any answer from any one. For many years he thought over the problem and at last he realized that it was the earth which pulled all objects towards it, and kept all things upon it in their places. He called the force "Attraction". It is also known as "The force of gravitation". Newton is known as one of the greatest scientists of the world.

2. निम्नलिखित अवतरण का अंग्रेजी में अनुवाद कीजिए :

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व्यक्ति को अनुशासन का पाठ पढ़ाने वाली चार संस्थाएं होती हैं- परिवार, शिक्षालय, समाज और राज्य। आज छात्रों में व्याप्त अनुशासनहीनता के निवारण का दायित्व शिक्षालयों से ज्यादा समाज और राज्य पर है। राज्य का यह कर्तव्य होता है कि वह राजनीति और अर्थनीति के क्षेत्र में फैले हुए भ्रष्टाचार का उन्मूलन कर ऐसे वातावरण की सृष्टि करे, जिसमें सभी को विश्वास हो जाए कि व्यक्ति की योग्यता ही पुरस्कृत होती है। शिक्षण संस्थाओं में अनुशासित जीवन के प्रति अभिरुचि जगाने का कार्य आवश्यक है ताकि समाज में परिवर्तन की शुरुआत हो।

अथवा

जम्मु स्थित वैष्णव देवी का मंदिर दूर-दूर तक विख्यात है। यह पवित्र देवस्थान पुण्य तीर्थ ही नहीं स्थापत्य कला का भी नमूना है। वैसे तो यहां तीर्थयात्री वर्ष भर दर्शन करने जाते हैं पर नवरात्रि के समय विशेष भीड़ होती है। वैष्णव देवी, महालक्ष्मी, महाकाली तथा महासरस्वती का सम्मिलित रूप मानी जाती हैं। यात्री एक पर्वतीय गुफा के भीतर तीन पिण्डिकाओं के रूप में इनका पूजन करते हैं। जम्मु का पर्यटन उद्योग वैष्णव देवी के दर्शन से काफी प्रभावित है।

3. आपके इलाके में गली नं० 4 की बत्ती 5 दिन से जल नहीं रही इससे दुर्घटना और चोरी की वारदातें बढ़ने का खतरा है। अपने क्षेत्र के बिजली अपूर्ति विभाग को समस्या के समाधान के लिए पत्र लिखिए।

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4. नीचे लिखे गद्यांश को ध्यान से पढ़ कर प्रश्नों के उत्तर पूरे वाक्यों में लिखें :

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समुद्र तल से लगभग 1730 मीटर की ऊंचाई पर कश्मीर की सुंदर घाटी में झेलम नदी के तट पर बसा हुआ खूबसूरत शहर श्रीनगर कहलाता है। विशाल डल झील श्रीनगर का प्रमुख आकर्षण है। डल के पूर्वी किनारे पर चश्मेशाही, निशांत, शालीमार बाग हैं। डल के बीचों-बीच चार चिनार हैं। डल के पश्चिमी किनारे पर हजरत बल दरगाह है। वहां की पश्मीना शाल विख्यात है।

- (a) श्रीनगर किस नदी के तट पर बसा हुआ है ?
- (b) श्रीनगर का प्रमुख आकर्षण क्या है ?
- (c) डल के पूर्वी किनारे पर क्या है ?
- (d) चार चिनार कहां हैं ?
- (e) हजरत बल दरगाह कहां है ?

5. निम्नलिखित शब्दों में से किन्हीं पाँच से वाक्य बनाएं :

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|-------------|-------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|
| (a) समुद्र  | (b) छुट्टी  | (c) आयकर  | (d) आयोजन    | (e) आमंत्रण |
| (f) आशुलिपि | (g) चेतावनी | (h) चुनाव | (i) पर्यावरण | (j) आयोग    |

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১. যে কোনও একটি বাংলায় অনুবাদ করুন:

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(a) Man is the architect of his own fate. If he makes a proper division of his time and does his duties accordingly, he is sure to improve and prosper in life; but if he does otherwise, he is sure to regret when it will be too late actually.

(b) Life does not end in death. Living creatures perpetuate it through their children and children's children. All things and non-living are believed to come from the power which prevail everywhere.

২. যে কোনও একটি ইংরেজিতে অনুবাদ করুন:

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(ক) মেয়েটি কহিল – চিনি। আপনি কখন তারকেশ্বরে এলেন?

রমেশ কহিল, আজই ভোরবেলা। আমার মামার বাড়ি থেকে মেয়েদের আসার কথা ছিল। কিন্তু তাঁরা আসেন নি।

এখানে কোথায় আছেন?

কোথাও না। আমি আর কখনো এখানে আসিনি। কিন্তু আজকের দিনটা কোনও মতে কোথাও অপেক্ষা করে থাকতেই হবে।

(খ) ফটিকে দেখিবামাত্র তাহার মা অগ্নিমূর্তি হইয়া কহিলেন, 'আবার তুই মাখনকে মেরেছিস।'

ফটিক কহিল, 'না মারিনি।'

'ফের মিথ্যা কথা বলছিস!'

কখনো মারিনি, মাখনকে জিজ্ঞাসা করো।

৩. যে কোনও একটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দিন:

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(ক) ক্যাজুয়াল লীভের জন্য উর্ধ্বতন কর্তৃপক্ষকে চিঠি লিখুন।

(খ) সংবাদপত্রের চিঠিপত্রের স্তম্ভে শব্দদূষণের সমস্যা ও প্রতিবিধান কল্পে একটি পত্র প্রেরণ করুন।

৪. নিচের অংশটি পড়ে প্রশ্নগুলির উত্তর দিন:

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নিরীহ প্রকৃতি যজ্ঞেশ্বর অত্যন্ত দ্বিধায় পড়িয়া গেলেন। অবশেষে বিভূতিভূষণের চেষ্টায় কন্যাগৃহেই বিবাহ স্থির হইল। ইহাতে গৌরসুন্দর ও তাহার দলবল অত্যন্ত চটিয়া গেলেন। সকলেই স্থির করিলেন, স্পর্ধিত দরিদ্রকে অপদস্থ করিতে হইবে। বরযাত্রী যাহা জোটানো হইল, তাহা পল্টন বিশেষ। এ সম্বন্ধে গৌরসুন্দর ছেলের কোন পরামর্শ লইলেন না। বৈশাখ মাসে বিবাহের দিন স্থির হইল।

(ক) যজ্ঞেশ্বর কী রূপ প্রকৃতির ছিলেন?

(খ) কার চেষ্টায় কোথায় বিবাহ স্থির হলো?

(গ) গৌরসুন্দর সদলবলে চটে গেলেন কেন?

(ঘ) কোন বিষয়ে গৌরসুন্দর ছেলের পরামর্শ নেন নি?

(ঙ) কবে বিয়ের দিন স্থির হয়েছিল?

৫. নিচের শব্দগুলির সাহায্যে বাক্য রচনা করুন:

৫x১ = ৫

শৌখিন, সুদ, শ্বশুর, অপেক্ষা, ছুটি

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দেখিতে দেখিতে পাঁচ-সাত-দশজন ~~কান্না~~ চাদর কাঁধে ফেলিয়া একে একে উঠিয়া দাঁড়াইল। ইহারা পাড়াগাঁয়ের লোক, সামাজিক ব্যাপারে কোথায় কোন চল সর্বাপেক্ষা লাভজনক ইহা তাহাদের অবিদিত নহে। নিমন্ত্রিত ব্রাহ্মণ-সজ্জনেরা যাহারা যা খুশি বলিতে লাগিল; ভৈরব এবং দীনু ভট্টচায় কাঁদ কাঁদ হইয়া বার বার ক্ষ্যান্ত মাসি ও তাহার মেয়ের, একবার গাঙ্গুলী, একবার হালদার মশায়ের হাতে-পায়ে ধরিবার উপক্রম করিতে লাগিল- চারিদিক হইতে সমস্ত অনুষ্ঠান ও ক্রিয়াকর্ম যেন লণ্ডভণ্ড হইবার সূচনা প্রকাশ করিল। কিন্তু রমেশ একটি কথা কহিতে পারিল না। একে ক্ষুধায় তৃষ্ণায় নিতান্ত কাতর, তাহাতে অকস্মাৎ এই অভাবনীয় কাণ্ড সে পাংশু মুখে কেমন যেন একরকম হতবুদ্ধির মতো স্তব্ধ হইয়া চাহিয়া রহিল।

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