

**Administrative Training Institute
Government of West Bengal**

**Half Yearly Departmental Examination for Officers of the Indian Administrative Service November – 2013
Law Paper – I (Land Laws of West Bengal & General Laws)
(Without Books)**

Answers to be written in English only

Time Allowed – 3 hours

Full Marks – 100

Pass Marks – 50

Group – A

Answer any Five question

1. Write short notes (**any four**) W.B.E.A. Act 1953

(a) Incumbrance

(b) Collector

(c) Date of Vesting

(d) Non - agricultural land

(e) Non - agricultural tenant

(f) Homestead

2 ½ x4=10

2. Define the following (W.B.L.R. Act 1955) **any two** :-

(a) Consolidation

(b) Personal Cultivation

(c) Land

(d) Bargadar

5x2=10

3. Discuss the right of purchase by a Co - sharer or Contiguous tenant as provided under section 8 of the W.B.L.R. Act 1955.

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4. State the ceiling area provided under section 14M of the W.B.L.R. Act 1955.

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5. If a bargadar dies, at the time when cultivation of the land by the bargadar is continuing, then by whom the cultivation of such land may be continued as per section 15A of the W.B.L.R. Act 1955?

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6. (a) State briefly the safeguards for plots of land cultivated by a bargadar.

(b) (i) What would be proportion of share between owner and bargadar of a land where bargadar is supplied with plough, cattle, manure etc?

(ii) Are the owner or bargadar liable under the law to grant receipts for the share of produce accepted or tendered?

4+3+3=10

7. Write short notes:-

(a) What do you mean by the word Record of Rights?

(b) What is the evidentiary value of it?

(c) Does it create or extinguish title?

(d) In between C.S.R.O.R and R.S.O.R - which one shall prevail?

2 ½ x4=10

Group - B

Answer any Five questions

8. Define :-

(a) Proof and Testimony.

(b) Primary and Secondary Evidence.

5+5=10

9. Answer any two of the following with reasons:-

(a) Ram makes a confession before the Deputy Commissioner of Police(D.D) a senior police officer of the state. Is the confession made by 'Ram' relevant?

(b) Is an oral confession made by an accused is 'oral evidence' under section 3 of the Indian Evidence Act?

(c) Is the 'tape record of Speech' a document under section 3 of the Indian Evidence Act? 5x2=10

10. What is the procedure of arrest and what are the duties of the arresting officer under section 41B of Cr.P.C. (as amended in 2008 A.D.)? State whether a police officer can arrest the person who complies with the terms of the notice under section 41A of Cr.P.C.? 10

11.(a) Is there any question of discretion in the matters of granting of bail in case of bailable offence?

(b) A sessions judge rejects an application for bail under section 438 Cr.P.C. Can the applicant file a fresh application for anticipatory bail before the Hon'ble High Court? 5x2=10

12. Explain the following terms as used in Indian Penal Code(any four)

a) Counterfeit;

b) Documents;

c) Valuable Security;

d) Offence;

e) Person;

f) Oath.

2 ½ x4=10

13. Solve with reasons the following cases:-

(a) Jack, a passerby sees 'B' beating his wife mercilessly. Jack gives a blow to 'B' who dies on spot. What offense Jack has committed?

(b) 'A' instigates 'B' to kill 'D'. 'B' in pursuance to the instigation stabs 'D'. 'D' recovers from the wound.

What offense if any has been committed by 'A' and 'B'?

5x2=10

14. What is the punishment prescribed for cruelty to a woman by her husband or his (husbands) relative?

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Group – A

(Answer Q.No.1 and any two from the rest)

1. Write short notes on **any four** of the following:-

- (a) Annual Value of land. (The Cess Act 1880)
 - (b) Person Interested (L.A. Act 1894)
 - (c) Owner (The W.B. Public Land (Eviction of unauthorized occupants) Act 1962)
 - (d) Master Plan (urban land [ceiling and Regulation] Act 1976)
 - (e) Vacant Land (urban land [ceiling and Regulation] Act 1976) 4 ½ *4=18
2. State under what circumstances a Collector under the L.A. Act 1894 can exercise special powers vested in him under the act? 16
3. State the provisions for disposal of vacant land acquired under Urban Land (ceiling & Regulation) Act 1976. 16
4. State in brief as to what procedure to be followed by the collector for eviction of unauthorized occupants? 16

Group – B

(Answer Question No. 5 and any two from the rest)

5. Write short notes on **any six** of the following:-

- (a) Heritage building or site (W.B.Municipal Act 1993)
 - (b) Kolkata (The Bengal Public Demand Recovery Act 1913)
 - (c) Prohibited Arms (The Arms Act 1959)
 - (d) Duly Stamped (The Indian Stamp Act 1899)
 - (e) Begging (Juvenile Justice(care & Protection of children) Act 2000)
 - (f) Dairy (West Bengal Municipal Act 1993)
 - (g) Gramsamsad (W.B. Panchayet Act 1973)
 - (h) Market Value(Indian Stamp Act 1899) 3x6 =18
6. What are the powers of Gram Panchayet over public streets, waterways and other matters? 16
7. Whether instruments not duly stamped admissible in evidence? Discuss. 16
8. State the provisions relating to grant of licenses under the Arms Act 1959. 16
9. State the provisions for reservation for schedule cast and scheduled tribes in vacancies to be filled up by direct recruitment. 16

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Half Yearly Departmental Examination for Officers Of the W.B.C.S. (Executive) November-2013

**Law Paper – I (Criminal Law & Law of Evidence)
(Without Books)**

Answers to be written in English only

Time Allowed – 3 hours

Full Marks – 100

Pass Marks – 50

Answer any **four** questions from **Group – A** and any **two** from **Group – B**

Group – A

1. Answer **any four** of the following:-

- (a) Offences.
- (b) Complaint.
- (c) Investigation.
- (d) Metropolitan Area.
- (e) Public Prosecutor.

4x5=20

2. Define and distinguish the following expressions as used in I.P.C. (**any four**):-

- (a) Cheating.
- (b) Wrongful gain and Wrongful loss.
- (c) Counterfeit.
- (d) Valuable Security
- (e) Man and Women.

4x5=20

3. Distinguish the following expressions (**any four**):-

- (a) Relevant fact and Fact in Issue.
- (b) May presume and Shall presume.
- (c) Common Intention and Common object.
- (d) Primary and Secondary Evidence.
- (e) Dowry death.

4x5=20

4. Distinguish between Simple and grievous hurt.

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5. What do you understand by confession? What are the provisions under the Indian Evidence Act regarding confession?

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6. On whom the burden of proof lies in the following cases:-

- (a) Proving death of a person known to have been alive within thirty years?
- (b) That a person is alive who has not been heard of for seven years.
- (c) As to ownership.
- (d) As to landlord or tenant.

4x5=20

Group – B

7. Discuss briefly the provisions relating to powers of center to control production, supply, and distribution of essential commodities under Essential Commodities Act.

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8. When is a public servant said to Commit a Criminal misconduct?

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9. In which cases court cannot take cognizance of offences committed by a public servant without previous sanction?

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Law Paper – II (Land Laws & General Laws)

(Without Books)

Answers to be written in English only

Time Allowed – 3 hours

Full Marks – 100

Pass Marks – 50

Group – A

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

1. Define the terms as per W.B.E.A. Act 1953. (answer any three):-

(a) Agricultural tenant.

(b) Collector.

(c) Notified Area.

(d) Rent.

(e) Charitable purpose

3x5=15

2. What is the effect of notification, vesting estates and rights of intermediaries duly published under section 4 of the W.B.E.A. Act 1953?

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3. What are the provisions under the W.B.L.R. Act 1955 for effecting change of areas or character of a raiyat land?

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4. What are the procedure of enquiry by the collector for an award under the land Acquisition Act 1894?

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5. Which are the lands to which the ceiling provisions under the Urban Land (Ceiling & Regulation) Act 1976 do not apply?

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6. State what happens when the following points are raised in a proceeding:-

(a) When the presumption of correctness of a finally published R.O.R. is disputed?

(b) Is the post vesting transferee entitled to a notice in a proceeding under section 44 of the W.B.E.A. Act?

(c) Has the revenue officer absolute power to revise an entry in the R.O.R?

5x3=15

Group – B

Answer **Question No.7** and **any two** from the rest

7. Answer **any five** of the following:-

(a) Mouja.

(b) Janapath (Public Street)

(c) Panchayet.

(d) Public Demand

(e) Chief Electoral Officer

(f) Council

(g) Certificate Officer

5x2=10

8. What are the Regulatory duties of the Gram Panchayet?

15

9. Has the Gram Panchayet any power to levy fees and rates? If so! Under what heads?

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10. Define the following (any five) under Bengal Public Demand Recovery Act 1913:-

(a) Calcutta

(b) Certificate – debtor

(c) Certificate – holder

(d) Certificate officer

(e) Collector

(f) Public demand.

5x3=15

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Law Paper – III (General Law)

(With Books)

Answers to be written in English only

Time Allowed – 3 hours

Full Marks – 100

Pass Marks – 50

Group – A

(Answer **any two**)

1. (a) When a Collector may serve special notice under section 7 of the Bengal Survey Act 1875?

(b) What is the penalty provided in the Act for 7 failures to comply with requisitions in the notice?

8+8=16

2. Can a court attach and sale any Government Land held by any person on lease? Discuss with reference to the provisions of the Act (W.B. Govt. Land [Regulation of transfer] Act 1993. 16

3. Define the term 'Fish'. What provisions are laid down under the Bengal Inland Fisheries Act 1984 for protection of fish? 4+12=16

Group – B

(Answer **any two**)

4. Write short notes **any four**:-

(a) Trophy

(b) Sanctuary

(c) National Park

(d) Probation of Good Conducts

(e) Ammunition 4x4=16

5. State the powers of the Central Government to take measures to protect and improve environment. 16

6. Define Human Rights. What are the powers and functions of the commission? 16

Group – C

(Answer **any two**)

7. Define 'Conveyance' (Indian Stamp Act 1899). Is an instrument not duly stamped admissible in evidence? 18

8. Is registration of a deed of gift of an immovable property valued Rs. 10,000 necessary? What is the effect of non – registration of documents which are required to be registered? 18

9. (a) Explain the conditions in which temporary injunction may be granted?

(b) State three main points governing temporary injunction.

(c) What is meant by an order of Status Quo? 10+4+4=18

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W.B.C.S (Executive), November 2013
Accounts – Paper I (Without books)
 Full Marks 50; Pass Mark 25; Time – 2 hours
Answers to be written in English only
 Answer Question No. 1, and any three from the rest.

- 1 (i) What are Consolidated Fund, Public Account, and Contingency Fund of the Government of India and the State Governments? 10 Marks
 - (ii) Explain the provisions of the Constitution of India in respect of borrowing by the Government of India and the State Governments? 10 Marks
 2. What is the basis of classification of transaction in government accounts? 10 Marks
 3. Write notes on any two of the following : – 5+5 = 10 Marks
 - (i) Allotment and Re-appropriation (ii) Revenue Expenditure (iii) Reserves and Reserve Funds
 4. (i) What are State Treasuries and Pay and Accounts Offices ? 5 Marks
 - (ii) In the case of a State Government, from where do the initial accounts originate? 5 Marks
 5. Define (i) Contract Contingencies, and (ii) Scale regulated Contingencies. 10 Marks
 6. Under what circumstances are Transfer Entries prepared ? 10 Marks
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(Executive), November 2013
Accounts – Paper II (With books)
Full Marks 100; Pass Mark 50; Time – 3 hours
Answers to be written in English only
Answer Question No. 1, and any four from the rest.

1. Explain the following : – (Any four) 4×5 = 20 Marks
- i) The way to save an employee from loss of substantive pay.
 - ii) Exception to the rule of sanction of competent authority in case of expenditure beyond a single payment.
 - iii) Controlling officer's obligation to keep financial order in total expenditure.
 - iv) Right of a Government employee to reside outside his headquarters.
 - v) Rules relating to crossed cheques.
2. Expenditure for which no provision has been made in the Budget estimate should rarely, if ever, be incurred. Discuss the statement in the light of the relevant rules 20 Marks
- 3 (i) What are the principles that should be followed if the occasion arises for taking back a Government employee (who withdrew his previously tendered resignation) in the service? 10 Marks
- (ii) Mr. X is on temporary employment in Kolkata under Government for the period from 1st April 2012 to 30th September 2013. His private employer released him from service at Siliguri on 25th March 2012 to enable him to join his Government assignment, and allowed him to join again on 5th October 2013 at Siliguri. The private employer will not pay him emoluments after 25th March 2012 till 5th October 2013. Do you suggest any remedy for the loss of emoluments of Mr. X ? 10 Marks

4. (i) State the provision of arrear claims which are not applicable to (a) arrear pension payment, (b) arrear interest on Government Securities, or (c) other arrear claims payments of which are governed by special rules or orders of the Government or orders of the Court? 10 Marks
- (ii) State the provisions of Stamps for receipts. 10 Marks
- 5 (i) Not the drawer of bills alone, sometimes Countersigning officer and Treasury officer may also be held responsible for an overcharge – explain. 10 Marks
- (ii) What are the rules for additions to permanent or temporary establishments or for any increase in the emoluments of existing posts ? 10 Marks
6. A Government officer, for every payment including repayment of sums previously lodged with the Government, shall obtain a voucher. Explain the statement in the light of the relevant rules. 20 Marks
7. (i) If granting leave to a Government employee depletes the strength of a service/ department available for active duty, what action can be taken by Government? State with related rules in this regard. 10 Marks
- (ii) How much of the half-pay leave can be converted into commuted leave? Detail the circumstances. 10 Marks
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HALF YEARLY DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR WBCS(Exe) OFFICERS
HINDI – PART I (Written) – (TRANSLATION AND LETTER WRITING)
NOVEMBER, 2013

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

Full Marks – 40

1. निम्नलिखित अनवरण का हिन्दी में अनुवाद कीजिए:

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The quest to experience God is eternal. There can be no better illustration on the subject than the Bhagvatgita, the sacred holy book of the Hindus. The book is in the form of a series of dialogues between Shri Krishna and Arjun on the eve of the Great War in Mahabharat between the two armies, one led by the Pandvas and another by the Kauravs. Krishna is considered as reincarnation of Vishnu and in the battlefield he was a charioteer of Arjun.

OR

Maurice Herzog, a distinguished french mountaineer was a leader of 1950 expedition to Annapurna peak. In those days the clothing, climbing gear and oxygen equipment were rather primitive as compared to the present modern standards. At that time, none of the fourteen peaks above 8000 metre were climbed, even though several attempts were made. There were neither maps nor any clues of possible ascent to these peaks Maurice and Louis Lachenal reached the summit of Annapurna on 3 June 1950 but underwent 16 operations later and could never climb again.

2. निम्नलिखित अवतरण का अंग्रेजी में अनुवाद कीजिए :-

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स्वामी विवेकानंद ने कहा है कि "जीव की सेवा ही शिव सेवा है" । अर्थात् मनुष्य की सेवा करने का अर्थ ईश्वर की सेवा है । हमलोग धर्म का पथिक न होते हुए केवल मानवता के विकास के लिए दूसरों की चिन्ता करते हैं । ईश्वर चंद्र विद्यासागर, निवेदिता फ्लोरेन्स नाइटिंगल से वर्तमान महान नारी मदर टेरेसा सभी सेवा के आदर्श नर और नारी हुए हैं । सेवा का अर्थ दया या करुणा नहीं बल्कि आत्म उपलब्धि करने में दूसरों का दुख अनुभव करके उसका दुख दूर करने में शामिल होना है । सेवा से शुद्ध आनंद प्राप्त होता है और मानवीय मूल्य स्थापित होते हैं । अपने हाथ से लगाए पौधे पर खिला फूल या फल जैसे आनंद प्रदान करता है वैसा ही आनंद और गर्व परोपकार से, सेवा से प्राप्त होता है ।

अथवा

अजमेर से 20 कि०मी० दूर बसा है पुष्कर । कहते हैं ब्रह्मा जी यज्ञ करने के लिए धरती पर स्थान ढूँढ रहे थे, तब उनके हाथ से कमल का फूल धरती पर जहां गिरा वहां से जल निकला और एक सरोवर बना जो आज पुष्कर का प्रसिद्ध सरोवर है । यह मान्यता है कि इस सरोवर में नहाने से सभी इच्छाएं पूरी होती हैं । कार्तिक मास में हजारों की संख्या में श्रद्धालु यहां आते हैं । एक मात्र वही वह जगह है जहां ब्रह्मा की पूजा होती है । यहां एक बहुत बड़ा पशु मेला भी लगता है । विदेशी पर्यटक यहां खूब आते हैं । यहां राजस्थान के कुटीर उद्योग को विदेशी पर्यटन से बढ़ावा मिलता है ।

3. अपने पिताजी को प्रतियोगी परीक्षा की तैयारी की जानकारी देते हुए पत्र लिखिए -

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4. आपके इलाके में भूगर्भ रेल के निर्माण के कारण पानी के जमाव से मच्छरों की वृद्धि के बारे में किसी समाचार पत्र के संपादक को पत्र लिखिए -

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[For Question Nos. 3 & 4 do not write your name or address anywhere instead write A,B,C etc.]

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Hindi Dictation

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कहीं ऊँचे ऊँचे वृक्षों से तो कहीं कोमल लताओं से, कहीं कटीली झाड़ियों से तो कहीं मखमली घास से प्रकृति अपना शृंगार करती है। वृक्ष कभी पुष्पों से साज जाते हैं तो कभी फलों के गुच्छों से झुक जाते हैं। कभी वे कोमल नये पत्तों का परिधान पहनते हैं तो कभी वे इसे उतार फेंकते हैं। कोमल लताएँ जो अपने आप खड़ी भी नहीं हो सकतीं, वृक्षों के तनों और शाखाओं का सहारा लेकर उनके शिखर तक छा जाती हैं। कटीली झाड़ियाँ भी समय-समय पर अपना रूप निहारती हैं। नन्हे-नन्हे पौधे और घास भी फूल और पत्तों से अपना शृंगार करते हैं। प्रकृति के ये विविध रूप-रंगवाले फूल और पत्ते सहज ही हमारा मन मोह लेते हैं।

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Time Allowed – 2 Hours **Full Marks 40**

১) যে কোন একটি বাংলায় অনুবাদ করুন :

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(a) Newspapers also play an important part in our social and national life. They educate public mind and help from public opinion. They voice the grievances of the people and seek for redress. Indeed the newspapers are so powerful today that they can make or unmake governments.

(b) Terrorism is an international phenomenon. India is also a victim of it since long. Of late, it has raised its ugly head with well organized outfits. Hundreds of innocent people are being killed. Properties worth millions of rupees are being destroyed. It has assumed a serious proportion in some parts of the country.

২) যে কোন একটি ইংরেজিতে অনুবাদ করুন :

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ক) রনিতা - তোমার মেয়ে এবারে বিদ্যালয়ের বার্ষিক সাংস্কৃতিক অনুষ্ঠানে অংশগ্রহণ করেছে ?

নীলিমা - না গো, যা পড়ার চাপ, স্কুল, প্রাইভেট টিউশন করে একদম সময় পায় না। যেটুকু সময় পায় কম্পিউটার নিয়ে বসে থাকে।

রনিতা - পড়াশোনার ফাঁকে গান-নাটক করলে মনটাও ভালো থাকে আর পড়াশোনায়ও মন আসে।

খ) রাজীব - দেখেছিস অজয়, আমাদের দেশে কীভাবে এডস্ রোগীর সংখ্যা বেড়ে চলেছে।

অজয় - হ্যাঁ, একটা সমীক্ষায় দেখলাম আমাদের দেশে প্রতিদিন এডস্ রোগীর সংখ্যা বেড়ে চলেছে।

রাজীব - এর মূল কারণ কী জানিস?

অজয় - সচেতনতার অভাব। মানুষ জানেই না কীভাবে এই রোগকে প্রতিরোধ করবে।

৩। (ক) ‘বড়দিন’ উপলক্ষে বন্ধুকে আমন্ত্রণ জানিয়ে একটি পত্র লিখুন।

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অথবা

(খ) সরকারী কাজকর্মে মাতৃভাষা বাংলা ভাষার ব্যাপক ব্যবহার সম্বন্ধে সংবাদপত্রের সম্পাদকের কাছে একটি পত্র লিখুন।

৪। (ক) গ্রামবাসীদের পক্ষে শাখা ডাকঘর স্থাপনের জন্য ডাকবিভাগ অধিকর্তার কাছে একটি আবেদন পত্র লিখুন।

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অথবা

(খ) পণপ্রথা সম্পর্কে আপনার ব্যক্তিগত মতামত জানিয়ে বন্ধুকে একটি পত্র লিখুন।

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নিঃশ্বাস ফেলিয়া পালকিতে উঠিয়া বসিলাম, দেখিলাম, বড় প্রেম শুধু
কাছেই টানে না - ইহা দূরেও ঠেলিয়া ফেলে। ছোটখাটো প্রেমের
সাধ্যও ছিল না - এই সুখৈশ্বর্য-পরিপূর্ণ স্নেহ-স্বর্গ হইতে মঙ্গলের জন্য,
কল্যাণের জন্য আমাকে আজ একপদও নড়াইতে পারিত। বাহকেরা
পালকি লইয়া স্টেশন অভিমুখে দ্রুতপদে প্রস্থান করিল। মনে মনে
বারংবার বলিতে লাগিলাম , লক্ষ্মী, দুঃখ করিও না ভাই, এ ভালই
হইল যে , আমি চলিলাম। তোমার ঋণ ইহজীবনে শোধ করিবার শক্তি
আমার নেই। কিন্তু যে জীবন তুমি দান করিলে, সে জীবনের
অপব্যবহার করিয়া আর না তোমার অপমান করি - দূরে থাকিলেও এ
সঙ্কল্প আমি চিরদিন অক্ষুন্ন রাখিব।