## **NLUJAA**

## NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY AND JUDICIAL ACADEMY, ASSAM

B.A.,LL.B.(Hons.): II-Year, IV-Semester (Academic Year: 2016-17)

# Semester End Repeat Examination (August, 2017) Subject Code: 4.2 Constitutional Law - I

Time: **2:30 Hrs.** Total Marks: **70** 

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Read the questions carefully and answer.
- 2. No clarification shall be sought on the question paper.
- 3. Do not write anything on the question paper. It will be treated as malpractice.

## Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Bring out the difference between the Parliamentary form of Government and the Presidential form of Government. What is the meaning of Republic used in the Preamble of Indian Constitution?
- 2. What is the relationship between fundamental rights and the directive principles? Can the fundamental rights be made subservient to all the directive principles? Refer to important Constitutional amendments made in this regard and cite the relevant cases.
- 3. Describe the discretionary powers of the Governor. Is the Governor's power under Article 356 a discretionary power? What are the scope and limitation of this power? Refer relevant cases in support of your answer.
- 4. Does the Supreme Court has the power to declare Triple Talaq as unconstitutional in a writ petition filed before the court? Discuss the importance of uniform civil code and how far it is practicable to enforce in a pluralistic country like India?
- 5. Write short notes on the following:
  - (a) Election of President
  - (b) President's discretionary powers

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