21 (6) ELRM 6.4

2018

ELEMENTS OF RESEARCH / LEGAL RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Paper: 6.4

Full Marks: 80

Time: Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Write True or False of the following: 1.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- An enactment is made by Executive. (i) (True/False)
- Official decision of a court given at the (ii) end of a trial is Judgement.

(True/False)

- Tort is a Civil Wrong. (True/False) (iii)
- Hypothesis is the last step in a social (iv) (True/False) research.
- Case study is a kind of quantitative (0) (True/False) analysis.

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- (vi) Empirical research has been carried out on a legal proposition. (True/False)
- (vii) Primary Sources are available in a law library. (True/False)
- (viii) The scope of non-doctrinal research is narrow. (True/False)
- (ix) Stratified sampling is a type of probability. (True/False)
- (x) The selected respondents constitute called as sample. (True/False)
- 2. Answer the following:

2×5=10

- (i) What is Legal Research?
- (ii) Write a note on Sampling.
- (iii) Write short note on Research Problem.
- (iv) What are the rules of Interpretation?
- (v) Define Procedural Law,
- What are the various types of Law? Distinguish between civil and criminal law.

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Write an exhaustive note on Case Law technique.

4. What is Legal Materials? Discuss in details about where and how to find the research Materials.

Or

What is Sampling? Discuss its advantages and disadvantages in research. 12

5. What is meant by Interpretation? Discuss the rules of Interpretation of statutes.

Or

Discuss in details an Interview and observation method as tools of research.

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6. Discuss different steps of Legal Research.

Or

What is Hypothesis? Discuss about its utility in research. 12

7. Discuss in detail the utility of law library in legal research.

Or

What is report writing? Discuss the significance and precautions for writing research reports.