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**SOCIO ECONOMIC CRIMES-I**

**Paper : 3-3**

*Full Marks : 80*

*Pass Marks : 32*

*Time : Three hours*

*The questions are of equal value.*

*Answer any five questions.*

1. The egoistic tendency of men can be satisfied only through money. Men are crazy for luxurious way of life, he is likely to resort to crime in order to satisfy his limitless urge for easy money, for which never bothers to resort to unlawful acts, detrimental to the society.

Explain in detail the nature and definition of Socio-Economic crime.

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2. Describe in detail the objects and reasons for enacting statutes to curb the menace of Socio-Economic offences.
3. Critically analyse the concept — white collar crime is a crime committed by persons of respectability and high social status, in course of their occupation.  
Describe the detrimental effect of 2G Spectrum scam on the national economy. In your considered opinion, what would be effective measures to curb these criminal epidemic?  
Do you suggest any amendment / modification in the legal provisions in India?
4. The bare fact that the object of a statute is to promote welfare activities or to eradicate great social evils is by itself not decisive of the question, whether the element of guilty mind is excluded from the ingredient of a socio-economic offence. Analyse the implicative values of *mens rea* and *actus-reus* on this type of crime under the Indian legal context.
5. In order to accumulate the self-exchequer some unhealthy persons start business on illegal trafficking of young girls and woman.

Critically analyse the impact of provisions of the Suppression of Immoral Traffic in Woman and Girls Act 1956.

Do you suggest any amendment / modification on the law to curb this social-menace?

6. The Information Technology Act 2000 does not aim at abolition of Cyber crime in India. Define and discuss the concept of cyber crime. The increasing numbers of fabrication of photographs in society has brought in an unhealthy and unethcal instincts in the Indian political and social system.  
Do you have any legal vision to suggest the Government of India in this regard?  
Discuss the evil impact of Cyber crime over the younger generation.
7. The mounting toll of criminality and alarming rise in the socio-economic crime has become a focus of national importance. It is recognised that prevention of crime and correction of offender is not an isolated problem that social defence and correction cannot be considered as unrelated to the total culture and the social and economic fabric of the society.

Being a student of criminology and penology do you have any suggestion to introduce innovative measures to prevent and curb the social economic offences and to punish offenders, who are basically Public Servants, Political leaders and corporate personality ?

8. Write an essay on topics involving financial scams *vis-a-vis* political leaders, corporate bodies and persons of lucrative unauthorised income in India.

9. Define in detail the concept of social and economic offences. Illustrate and explain the difference between them.

The Jana Lok Pal Bill fills the vacuum in the fight against corruption in the society. How far the provisions of the Lok Pal Bill after its enactment would be realistic and practical in curbing various corruption ?

Do you have any suggestion to bring some change or modification in the prevailing laws for obtaining "previous sanction" ?