



‘समानो मन्त्रः समितिः समानी’

**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**

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**LEGAL METHODS**

**PAPER CODE: CC01/FC01**

Time Allotted: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 100

*The questions are of equal value  
The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

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

1. (a) State the salient features of Charter of 1726. 8+12  
(b) Explain in what ways uniform judicial administration was achieved in all three presidency towns.
2. (a) Discuss briefly the history of Establishment, Constitution and Jurisdiction along with the acquiring of additional rights of East India Company by the Charter of 1600 and the Charter of 1661. 12+8  
(b) Briefly discuss the provisions of Regulating Act, 1773.
3. Analyze the development of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Calcutta with special reference to the trial of ‘Raja Nand Kumar’. 20
4. (a) What do you mean by the term precedent? 4+8+8  
(b) Elaborately discuss the various types of precedent.  
(c) Point out the importance of Obiter Dicta.
5. With reference to the structure of a ‘statute’ answer the following: 5+10+5  
(a) What is a statute?  
(b) Discuss the various parts of a statute.  
(c) How a statute is enacted in the legislature?
6. (a) Define law.  
(b) State the relation between law and society.  
(c) Define the concept of ‘Rule of Law’.
7. Write short notes on any **four** of the following: 5×4 = 20  
(a) Warren Hastings’ Judicial Plan of 1772  
(b) Sources of Law  
(c) Law Commission of India  
(d) Government of India Act, 1935  
(e) Indian Council Act, 1909  
(f) Briefly state hierarchy of courts in India.

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