



SEMESTER- IV

B.A./B.B.A. LL.B. (Hons.)

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COURSE TITLE: Constitutional Law-II

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Module- 1

Fundamental Rights (State and Code of Equality)

- 1.1 'State' under Article 12
- 1.2 'Law' under Article 13
- 1.3 Right to Equality (Article 14-18): Concepts, Reasonable Classification and non-Arbitrariness
- 1.4 Prohibition of Discrimination Under Article 15
- 1.5 Equality of Opportunity in Matters of Public Employment

Module-2

Right to Freedoms

- 2.1 Right to Freedoms (Article 19)
- 2.2 Protection in respect of conviction for offences (Article 20)
- 2.3 Protection of life and personal liberty (Article 21)
- 2.4 Right to Education (Article 21A)
- 2.5 Protection Against Arrest and Detention (Article 22)

Module-3

Right Against Exploitation, Freedom of Religion, and Educational and Cultural Rights; and Constitutional Safeguards to Civil Servants

- 3.1 Right against Exploitation (Article 23-24)
- 3.2 Right to Freedom of Religion (Articles 25 – 28)
- 3.3 Right to Education (Article 21A)
- 3.4 Right to Constitutional Remedy, Article 32 (including PIL)
- 3.5 Constitutional Safeguards to Civil Servants (Articles 309-311)

Module-4

Directive Principles of State Policy; Fundamental Rights and Amendment to the Constitution

- 4.1 Directive Principles of State Policy (Art 36 - 51)
- 4.2 Fundamental Duties (Article 51A)
- 4.3 Amendment to the Constitution (Article 368)
- 4.4 Constitutional Right to Property
- 4.5 Articles 31A, 31B and 31C

Important Legislations:

- The Constitution of India, 1950
- The Civil Rights Protection Act, 1955
- The Scheduled Caste and Schedule Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989
- The Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act, 2006
- The Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995
- The Right to Information Act, 2005
- Equal Opportunity Commission Bill, 2009.

Prescribed Books:

1. Singh, Mahendra P., V. N. Shukla's *Constitution of India*.
2. Seervai, H.M., *Constitutional Law of India*.
3. Jain, M.P., *Indian Constitutional Law*.
4. Basu, D.D., *Shorter Constitution of India*.
5. Hasan, Zoya, et al., eds., *India's Living Constitution: Ideas, Practices, Controversies*
6. Granville Austin, *Working of a Democratic Constitution: A History of the Indian Experience*.
7. Kripal, B. N. et al., *Supreme but Not Infallible: Essays in Honour of the Supreme Court of India*.
8. B. Sivaramayya, *Inequalities and the Law*.
9. P. K. Tripathi, *Some Insights into Fundamental Rights*.
10. Marc Galanter, *Competing Equalities: Law and the Backward Classes in India*.
11. P.K. Tripathi, *Free Speech in the Indian Constitution: Background and Prospects' in Spotlights on Constitutional Interpretation*.

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