

**HP BOARD OF DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION  
DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR TEHSILDARS OF HIMACHAL  
PRADESH SESSION OCTOBER, 2014.**

**PAPER-7 (LOCAL AND SPECIAL LAW)**

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours.**

**Maximum Marks: 100**

- Note:-** (i) Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.  
(ii) Bare Acts and Rules can be consulted.  
(iii) Relevant provisions in relation to latest amendments and instruction may be referred.

**Q.No.1 (i) What are the exemptions regarding disclosure of information under RTI Act, 2005.**

**(ii) What is deemed P. I. O and what are his obligations?**

**(iii) Can details of income tax return of a person be disclosed to an applicant under RTI Act? (10+5+5)**

**Q.No.2 (i) Explain misbranded, substandard and unsafe food.**

**(ii) What is 'Food Business Operator'?**

**(iii) What shall 'Food Business operator' do if he has reason to believe that a food which has been processed, manufactured or distributed is not in compliant with the Act? (9+3+8)**

**Q.No.3 (i) What are designated officers and what their functions?**

**(ii) What penalty may be imposed on a 'food safety officer' if he is found guilty of an offence of seizing any article, or adulterant or commits such act to the injury of the person without reasonable cause?**

**(iii) What obligations may be imposed on the 'Registered Medical Practitioner' in relation to 'Food poisoning' in a local area? (8+6+6)**

**Q.No.4 (i) How does the establishment or licensing of distilleries, breweries, wineries and its storage is regulated?**

**(ii) What are the powers of Financial Commissioner and District Magistrate regarding closure of liquor vends?**

**(iii) What offences under HP Excise Act, 2011 compounded by the collector and how? (8+6+6)**



- Q.No.5 (i) What are essential Commodities? Explain in relation to Essential Commodities Act?**
- (ii) Under what provisions and how essential Commodities are liable to be confiscated?**
- (iii) How can a person be penalized for giving false information/ statement? (6+8+6)**

- Q.No.6 (i) What constitutes criminal misconduct by a public servant and how is he penalised?**
- (ii) Discuss the person authorized to investigate for offence under Prevention of Corruption Act.**
- (iii) Is accused person a competent witness under the Act ibid? Discuss. (8+6+6)**

**Q.No.7 Discuss any four:-**

- (i) Licensing of Explosives.**
- (ii) Currency of licences to drive motor vehicles.**
- (iii) Forest Produce.**
- (iv) Probationary officers and their duties.**
- (v) Prohibited arms and ammunitions. (4x 5= 20)**

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