

H. P. Board of Departmental Examination

Departmental Examination for Tehsildars and Naib Tehsildars

OCTOBER 2016

Paper No. 7

LOCAL AND SPECIAL LAWS

MAXIMUM MARKS-100

- Time allowed; 3 Hrs. (i) Attempt any five Questions.
(ii) All questions carry equal marks.
(iii) Only Bare Acts/ Rules can be consulted.

Q no. 1 (a) Define the following terms;

- (i) Information
(ii) Public Authority
(iii) Right to Information
(iv) Information
(v) Record

(2*5=10 marks)

(b) Write a short note on "Third party Information"

(10 marks)

Q no 2 (a) What is meant by " Protected Forest" and how is a forest declared as such? (10 marks)

(b) What is the scope of inquiry of a Forest Settlement Officer? (10 marks)

Q no. 3 (a) Who can be termed as a "Dependent" as per The Maintenance of Parents and Dependents Act, 2001? (10 marks)

(b) Who can file an application for maintenance under the Act? (10 marks)

Q no. 4 (a) Give an overview of Domestic Violence Act, 2005. (10 marks)

(b) What are the necessary qualifications and duties of a "Protection Officer"? (10 marks)

Q no. 5 Discuss the Restrictions on the de reservation of forests or use of forest land for non-forest purpose and the legal provisions for dealing with forest conservation offences

(20 marks)

Q no. 6 (a) What are the conditions relating to solemnization of special marriages?

(10 marks)

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(b) What is the process of filing objections against a marriage and how does the marriage officer empowered to deal the same? (10 marks)

Q no. 7 (a) What are the kinds of land that can be granted on lease as per H.P. lease Rules 2013? (10 marks)

(b) What procedure has to be followed for grant of Government land on lease? (10 marks)