DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR IAS/ HAS OFFICERS FEBURARY, 2007

Paper-10 Special Acts (Criminal), Manual and Rules

Time allowed: 3 Hours. Max. Marks: 100

- Note: 1. Attempt any five questions.
 - 2. All questions carry equal marks.
 - 3. Relevant provisions of law must be quoted in support of each answer.
 - 4. Only bare Acts/ Rules are allowed inside in the examination hall.
- Q.No.1 What are the provisions in the Police Act, 1959 and Punjab Police Rules
 Pertaining to the Magisterial control of the police? Do you think that the District
 Magistrate and the Sub Divisional Magistrate should have effective control over
 The police? Give reasons for your answer. (20 Marks)
- Q.No.2 a) what area various categories of forests? What is the process of declaring a Particular area a "Wild life sanctuary"? (10 Marks)
 - b) A Police officer intercepts a truckload of timber. What all actions are required to be taken by him under various provisions of law? (10 Marks)
- Q.No.3 a) A Sub- Divisional Magistrate discovers that a spare part shop has kept huge Stocks of petrol and diesel unauthorizedly. What action he is expected to take And under which provisions of law? (10 Marks)
 - b) During a routine inspection, it came to the notice of a Sub-Divisional Magistrate that a pack of 10 Kg wheat flour being sold in the market and Manufactured by a flour mill operating locally from the same Sub-Division, Actually contained only 8.5 Kg. of flour. What actions are required to be taken By the officer to take punitive action against the concerned flour mill?

 (10 Marks)
- Q.No.4 a) During the visit to a village, the District Magistrate finds that distillation of Illicit liquor is being carried out by few persons. What steps should he take to Book the offenders? Also give the provisions of relevant law. (10 Marks)
 - b) What are the powers of Excise Officer with respect to search, seizure and Detention under the provisions of Punjab Excise Act? (10 Marks)
- Q.No.5 a) what actions are required to be taken to transport arms and ammunitions from One State to the other? (8 Marks)
 - b) Who can cancel an arm license and on what grounds? Give relevant provisions of Law. (12 Marks)

- Q.No.6 a) Do you think that Himachal Pradesh should have its own Excise Act and Police Rules? Give reasons for your answer. (12 Marks)
 - b) What are the legal provisions for recording dying declaration and what Precautions are required to be taken while doing so? (8 Marks)
- Q.No.7 a) Are the Ministers covered under the definition of 'Public Servant' under the Prevention of corruption Act? Discuss with reference to some important Pronouncements of courts. (12 Marks)
 - b) What all is covered under the term 'gratification' under the Prevention of Corruption Act? (8 Marks)
- Q.No.8 Write short notes on any four of the following:
 - (a) Main provisions of Probation of Offenders Act.
 - (b) Powers of Food Inspectors under Prevention of Adulteration Act.
 - (c) Cancellation of Driving Licenses.
 - (d) Compoundable Offences under the Motor Vehicles Act.
 - (e) Duties of Jail Superintendents.
 - (f) No Fault Liability.
 - (g) Preventive Detention.

(4 Marks)
