H.P.BOARD OF DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR IAS / HAS OFFICERS OF HIMACHAL PRADESH SESSION APRIL, 2010

PAPER-10 (SPECIAL ACTS (CRIMINAL MANUAL AND RULES)

Time Allowed: 3 Hours. Maximum Marks: 100

- Note:- 1. Attempt any five questions.
 - 2. All questions carry equal marks.
 - 3. Relevant provision of law must be quoted in support of answers.
 - 4. Only bare Acts/ Rules are allowed in side the examination hall.
- Q.No.1 a) What do you understand by term disproportionate assets under the prevention Of corruption Act? What problem are foreseen in proving a case under this Act? (10 marks)
 - b) Is prosecution sanction required under the prevention of corruption Act to prosecute a public servant? Discuss in detail by referring to provisions incorporated in the prevention of corruption Act, 1988? (10 marks)
- Q.No.2 a) What are the powers of a Court to release certain offenders on probation of Good conduct under the probation of offenders Act? Discuss in detail.

(10 marks)

- b) A person with no Criminal record commits an offence of rape, can he take the cover under the probation of offenders Act? Give reasons. (10 marks)
- Q.No.3 a) What are the powers of licensing Authority under the Arms Act, 1959 in In relation with variation, suspension, revocation of license? Describe in detail.

 (10 marks)
 - b) Is there any provision of appeal under the Arms Act refusing to grant a license or varying the condition of a license or against the order of licensing authority? Discuss. (10 marks)
- Q.No.4 a) Bring out the main features of Conservation of Foreign Exchange and Prevention of smuggling Act? Has this Act stringent enough to prevent Smuggling and Foreign Exchange Conservation in the past? (10 marks)
 - b) A Construction Company has applied to you for setting up a magazine under the Indian Explosive substance Act? What action are required to be taken under this Act? (5 marks)
 - c) What are the duties and responsibilities of the Deputy Superintendent of Jail under the Punjab Jail Manual as application to H.P? (5 marks)

- Q.No.5 a) Describe the procedure for obtaining forest clearance for a construction of a Road proposed to pass through a reserved forest under the Forest Conservation Act? (10 marks)
 - b) What is the procedure required to be followed for declaring a particular area of land as sanctuary? (10 marks)
- Q.No.6 a) When an article of food should deemed to be adulterated under the prevention Of food adulteration Act? Explain in detail. (10 marks)
 - b) When a food Inspector take a sample of food for analysis, what procedure he is required to be followed? Discuss. (10 marks)
- Q.No.7 a) What are the various categories of driving license under the Motor Vehicle
 Act? What are the requirements for granting of driving license for commercial/
 Transport vehicles? (10 marks)
 - b) Under what circumstances a stage carriage vehicle can be allowed temporarily to operate as a contract carriage vehicles? What procedure is followed in such cases? (10 marks)
- Q.No.8 Write short notes on the following:
 - a) Compounding powers of a Collector under the Punjab Excise Act, as applicable to Himachal Pradesh. (5 marks)
 - b) Difference between light Motor Vehicle and Light Transport Vehicle.

(5 marks)

- c) Can a vehicle carrying forest produce is liable to be confiscated in Himachal Pradesh? Give reference to amended forest Act if any in this behalf.(5 marks)
- d) Procedure to issues a license for setting up a liquor bottling plant. (5 marks)
