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PAPER-10 (SPECIAL ACTS (CRIMINAL) MANUALS 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 answer.
 - 4. Only bare Acts/ Rules are allowed in side the examination hall.
- Q.No.1 a) what procedure is required to be adopted by a licensing authority for grant of License under the Arms Act? Under which condition the licensing authority Shall refuse to grant license explain briefly. (10 marks)
 - b) Under what circumstances a Magistrate can search and seize any arms.

 Comment. (5 marks)
 - c) For which offences under the Arms Act the previous sanction of District
 Magistrate is required. Can Police Officer demand production of license of
 Arms? (5 marks)
- Q.No.2 a) Describe in detail the criminal misconduct by a public servant committed Under the prevention of corruption Act, 1988? (10 marks)
 - b) Who are the competent Authorities to grant Prosecution sanction for the offences under the prevention of corruption Act. What material should contain a valid sanction required under the law? Discuss in detail. (10 marks)
- Q.No.3 a) What do you understand by the protected forest under the Indian Forest Act, Who is competent to issue notification reserving trees in a protected forest? Explain in detail. (10 marks)
 - b) Whether Forest Officer is competent to compound the offences under the Indian Forest Act, under what circumstances forest produce can be presumed The property of Government? Explain. (10 marks)
- Q.No.4 a) A person with no criminal record commits a rape. Can he take the cover under The probation of offenders Act? Give reasons. (10 marks)
 - b) Bring out the main features of COFEPOS Act. Has this act been stringent enough to prevent smuggling and foreign exchange conservation in the past?

 (10 Marks)
- Q.No.5 a) What are various types of driving licence? Describe the procedure for issuance Of driving licence? (10 marks)
 - b) Differentiate between contract carriage and state carriage under the Motor vehicle Act? (10 marks)

- Q.No.6 a) under the prevention of food adulteration Act, When article of food shall be Deemed to be misbranded? Explain in detail. (10 marks)
 - b) What are the powers of food Inspector under the prevention of food Adulteration Act? Discuss. (10 marks)
- Q.No.7 a) Discuss the power to cancel or suspend licence, permit or pass under the Punjab Excise Act as applicable to Himachal Pradesh? (10 marks)
 - b) If a Police Official commits Criminal misconduct in relation with public what is the role of District Magistrate under the Police Rule?? Discuss.
- Q.No.8 Write short notes on the following:
 - a) Procedure for transfer of forest land for non- forest purpose.
 - b) Is there any need for Magisterial control over the Police?
 - c) Responsibilities and duties of Deputy Superintendent of Jail under the Jail manual.
 - d) Can vehicle carrying forest produce is liable to be confiscated in Himachal Pradesh? Is forest Officer competent to pass any orders in this behalf?

 Comment. (20 marks)
