

DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION OF I.A.S/H.A.S OFFICERS  
OF HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SESSION OCTOBER, 2013

PAPER-10: SPECIFIC ACTS (Criminal Manuals & Rules)

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks :100

1. Attempt any Five questions.
2. Questions carry the marks indicated against each
3. Relevant provisions of the law must be quoted.
4. Only Bare Acts/Rules are allowed inside the Examination Hall.

Q.No.1. (A) Describe in detail criminal misconduct committed by the public servant under the provision of Prevention of Corruption Act?

(B) Whether the accused is the competent witness under Prevention of Corruption Act 1988, if accused opt to be witness. What questions shall not be asked, and if asked shall not be compelled to answer? Discuss.

(10+10=20)

Q.No.2. (A) Bring out the main features of COFEPOSA. Has this Act been stringent enough to Prevent smuggling and Foreign Exchange Conservation in t he Past?

(B) What are the salient features of Food Adulteration Act? Is this sufficient to check food adulteration ? Comment.

(10+10=20)

Q.No.3. (A) How the forest settlement is carried out as per the Indian Forest Act ? Is there any power to acquire land where the right is claimed?

(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+10=20)

Q.No.4. (A) A person with no criminal record commits a rape. Can he take the cover under Probation of Offenders Act? Give reason.

(B) Who can appoint Probation Officer under the Probation of Offenders Act? What are the powers of the Probation Officer ? Discuss ?

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- Q.No.5. (A) Describe the procedure regarding criminal offences committed by the police Officer in connection with his official relation with public under the Police Rules as applicable to HP.
- (B) Discuss the powers of Excise Officer with regard to arrest, seizure and detention under the provision of Excise Act? (10+10=20)
- Q.No.6. (A) What do you mean by the compounding of offence under Motor Vehicle Act? State the authorities competent to compound the offence under Motor Vehicle Act?
- (B) Write brief note on the Scheme for Payment of Compensation in case of hit and run motor accidents under the Motor Vehicle Act? (10+10=20)
- Q.No.7. (A) Under what circumstances arms licenses can be refused by the licensing authority under the Arms Act?
- (B) State briefly the provisions relating to deposit of arms on possession, ceasing to be lawful depositor or can his legal representative exercise his right under the Arms Act? (10+10=20)
- Q.No.8. Write short notes on the following:-
- (A) Procedure for the transfer of forest land for non forest purpose under the Indian Forest Act?
- (B) Responsibilities and duties of Deputy Superintendent of Jail under Jail Manual?
- (C) What is the new provision made by H.P. State in Indian Forest Act for confiscation of vehicles carrying forest produce?
- (D) Under what conditions a driving license can be cancelled? Explain? (4X5=20)

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