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M.A. (Security and Defence Laws)

Academic Year: 2023-2024

Second Semester Examination (June, 2024)

Paper II – 1.2.6 Defence Contracts and Tenders

Duration of the Examination: 2 ½ hours

Total Marks: 70 marks

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- a) Read the instructions carefully and adhere to the same.
 - b) Please mention your DDE ID No., date of the exam, name of the programme & subject on the Answer Sheet and the Additional Answer Sheets, if any.
 - c) The questions to be interpreted as given and no clarification can be sought from the Invigilator.
 - d) Clearly indicate the question numbers while answering them. Answers without question numbers / wrong question numbers will not be evaluated.
 - e) Write the answers clearly and neatly. Answers in illegible handwriting will not be taken into consideration.
 - f) Candidates are prohibited to carry phones or any other electronic devices, books, material etc. in the Examination Hall.
 - g) Copying is strictly prohibited and is considered as a serious academic misconduct and the University will take action as it deems fit.
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Section – A

Answer FIVE questions out of SEVEN questions and each question carries 10 marks. (5 x 10 marks = 50 marks)

- 1. What is a contract? Discuss the essential elements for a valid contract in the light of decided cases.
- 2. Contract requires an offer and acceptance whereas the acceptance can be of different forms. Write about different types of contracts.

3. Section 2(b) of the Indian Contract Act explains acceptance which states when the person to whom the proposal is made signifies his assent there to the proposal. Write about the legal rules for acceptance and general rules of communication of acceptance?
4. Distinguish between void contracts and voidable contracts. Give illustrations.
5. Discuss the Defence Tenders and Tendering Procedures. Explain the Bidding Process under the Defence Procurement Manual.
6. Discuss in detail the evolution of the Indian defence offset policy. What are the lessons for India?
7. What are the three models to ascertain the credit worthiness of the foreign party and how does credit worthiness help in making rational business judgments?

Section – B

Answer FOUR questions out of SIX questions and each question carries 05 marks. (4 x 5 marks = 20 marks)

- A. What is an offer and what are its essentials?
- B. Write about revocation of contracts.
- C. What is *consensus ad idem*?
- D. What are the remedies for breach of contract?
- E. What are pre-contractual liabilities?
- F. What are liquidated damages?