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## **B.G.L. DEGREE EXAMINATION, May 2015**

## (FIRST YEAR)

## 160: CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

## Answer any SIX questions All questions carry equal marks

- 1. In the light of decided cases, discuss the nature and scope of the right to 'Equal pay for equal work' .
- 2. Discuss the rights of minorities under the Constitution to establish and administer educational institutions of their choice.
- 3. What is meant by 'independence of the judiciary'? How for the Indian Constitution promotes independence of the judiciary.
- 4. How the President of India can proclaim emergency? What are the fundamental rights that may be suspended during the period of emergency?
- 5. The state shall not make any law which takes away or abridges fundamental rights'. Discuss the scope of amendment of fundamental rights.
- 6. The fundamental right to freedom of Religion is tampered with ideas of secularism'- comment.
- 7. Examine the cases in which appeal lies to the Supreme Court civil and criminal matters from the decision of the High Court.
- 8. Explain the various circumstances under which Parliament can make laws in the state list.
- 9. Write short notes on any TWO of the following:
  - a) Written and unwritten constitution
  - b) Citizenship by birth and Citizenship by Registration
  - c) Doctrine of pith and substance
  - d) Rigid and flexible Constitution

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