

# NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY DELHI

LL.M. (Professional), Semester-II (Batch of 2021)

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Paper: Introduction of Law

Total Marks: 70

## Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. No clarification shall be sought on the question paper.
3. ABC case is provided for your reference
4. **The word limit for each question has been mentioned. Nothing written beyond the prescribed word limit will either be read or evaluated.**

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- Q1. Read the “ABC case” and give it a suitable title. Give reasons for the title that you give to the case. **(50 words for both the parts, 2+3 = 5 Marks)**
- Q2. Apply IRAC method to ABC case. Divide your answer in four parts corresponding to the question. **(Part 1 – 50 words, 5 Marks; Part 2 – 100 words, 5 Marks; Part 3 - 500 words, 10 Marks; Part 4 – 200 words, 10 Marks)**
- Q3. Identify the rule of interpretation that the court adopted to adjudicate ABC case. **(200 words, 5 Marks)**
- Q4. If you were to define law or explain the notion of law solely on the basis of ABC case, what would your response be and why? **(500 words, 10 Marks)**
- Q5. Carefully read the following excerpt (also read paras 13 and 14 of ABC case) and answer the following questions:
- “I am mindful of the fact that I am not deciding a writ petition where the validity of the said Act is in question. It is true that the case before me is only a revision petition challenging the judgment passed in an appeal under the said Act. But, an examination of these aspects touching upon the constitutional validity of the said Act is necessary because such a discussion would reveal the manner in which and the limits to which the provisions of the said Act can be taken.”*
- (i) Had ABC case been a “writ petition” what would have been the nature of power exercised by the court (give technical term for the same). **(50 words, 2 Marks)**
- (ii) Write 5 lines explaining the power in the context of ABC case. **(200 words, 5 Marks)**
- (iii) What role does this power play in a Constitutional democracy like India? **(200 words, 5 Marks)**
- (iv) Can it be argued that “begging” or solicitation of alms is a custom. If so how and if not, why? **(300 words, 8 Marks)**