

NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, DELHI
LL.M., Semester-II (Batch of 2020)
End-Semester Assessments (Online), May/June-2021
Paper: Comparative Law

Time: 48 hours

Total Marks: 50

1. Mail your assignments only to submissions.llm@nludelhi.ac.in.
 2. All questions are compulsory.
 3. This is an open book exam. Students are free to consult their class notes as well as assigned reading material.
 4. No clarification shall be sought on the question paper.
 5. Mention ONLY Name, Roll No. and Subject Paper on the Cover/First page. Start writing your answers from the next/second page only. **Do not** mention your name and roll no on any other page.
 6. Your answer to any question should not exceed **words limits prescribed**, excluding punctuation marks.
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- Q.1 “The French political culture was long hostile to judicial power. Distrust towards judges and things judicial was in large part a reaction of revolutionary France against the influence held by the robed magistrates of *Ancien Regime*”. Explain the development of French *Conseil constitutionnel* in the light of above statement and also contrast it with *Bundesverfassungsgericht*.
(20 Marks) (1200 words)
- Q.2 “A tradition, in the form of received information, is a fragile thing. It bears within itself the seeds of diversity or, more radically, change”. Elucidate the above statement in the light of developments in Common Law and Civil Law traditions.
(20 Marks) (1200 words)
- Q.3 “What we today refer to as ‘East Asian Legal tradition’ is perhaps most usefully described, in historic terms, as the sphere of influence of Chinese culture, or an ‘East Asian classical civilization’.” Elaborate upon the above statement.
(10 Marks) (1000 words)