

# UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU

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## Syllabus for Entrance/Screening Test for the post of Law Officer

Duration = 3 Hours

There shall be a written Test consisting of Two Parts/Component (A&B):

**Part/Component – I - 100 question each of 01 mark, maximum marks =100 (Objective Type)**

### **PART-A (Objective Type)**

#### **I. Jurisprudence**

1. Schools of Jurisprudence, Analytical, historical, philosophical and sociological
2. Source of law: Custom, precedent and legislation
3. Right and duties
4. Legal Personality
5. Ownership and possession

#### **II. Constitutional Law of India**

1. Salient features of the Indian Constitution
2. Preamble
3. Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles and Fundamental Duties
4. Constitutional position of the President and governors and their powers
5. Supreme Court and High Courts: their powers and jurisdiction
6. Union Public Service Commission and State Public Service Commission: their powers and Functions
7. Distribution of legislative powers between the Union and the States
8. Emergency provisions
9. Amendment of the constitution

#### **III. International Law**

1. Nature of International Law
2. Sources: Treaty, Custom, General Principles of Law recognized by civilized nations and subsidiary means for the determination of Law
3. State Recognition and State Succession
4. The United Nations: its objectives and Principles Organs; the constitution, role and jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice

#### **IV. Torts**

1. Nature and definition of tort
2. Liability based on fault and strict liability
3. Vicarious liability
4. Joint tort-feasors
5. Negligence
6. Defamation
7. Conspiracy

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- 8. Nuisance
- 9. False imprisonment and malicious prosecution

**V. Law of Contract**

- 1. Basic elements of contract: offer, acceptance, consideration, contractual capacity
- 2. Factors vitiating consent
- 3. Void, voidable, illegal and unenforceable agreement
- 4. Performance of contracts
- 5. Dissolution of contractual obligations, frustration of contracts
- 6. Quasi- contracts
- 7. Remedies for breach of contract

**VI. Criminal Procedure Code**

**VII. Civil Procedure Code**

**VIII. Intellectual Property Right**

- 1. Intellectual Property Right and Patents
- 2. International Perspective of Intellectual Property Right especially TRIPS & DOHA
- 3. Patent Protection in India: Salient features
- 4. Patent and Non-patentable inventions
- 5. Procedure for seeking a patent
- 6. Procedure of opposition
- 7. Procedure of surrender and revocation
- 8. Lapsed patent and its restoration
- 9. Power of govt. in relation to patent
- 10. Infringement of patent
- 11. Patent agent and his role in patent processing
- 12. Powers of controller- general of patent

**PART – B Maximum marks =100 (Subjective Type)**

- I. 16 questions each of 05 marks about the Kashmir & Jammu Universities Act. =.80 Marks
- II. 04 questions each of 05 marks of Jammu and Kashmir Right to Information Act, 2009 = 20 Marks

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**REGISTRAR**

**Note:**

- I. Weightage of Entrance/Screening Test shall be as per the Selection Criteria notified vide No.Estab./C&R-NTW/22/1520-32 dated 01.09.2022 and uploaded in the University website [www.jammuuniversity.ac.in](http://www.jammuuniversity.ac.in)
- II. The University Calendar Volumes I & II (2010) can be downloaded from University website [www.jammuuniversity.in](http://www.jammuuniversity.in)