LL.M. Semester-I (New) Examination

(Group—B)

CONSTITUTIONALISM, PLURALISM & FEDERALISM

(40140)

Paper—I

Time—Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks—80/100

- **N.B.** :— (1) Answer any **FIVE** questions in all.
 - (2) All questions carry equal marks.
 - (3) Those students who have internal marks, for them the question paper is of 80 marks and for the rest it is of 100 marks.
- 1. What do you mean by pluralism? Discuss the nature and characteristics of pluralistic society.
- 2. Write short notes on (any two):
 - (a) Right to dissent in plural society.
 - (b) Governor and his role in Indian Federalism.
 - (c) Supreme Court as an umpire in the Federal System.
 - (d) Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court under Art. 131.
- 3. Why Federal Government was chosen by the Constituent Assembly in India? Discuss the Historical background of the Federal structure of Government in India.
- 4. What are the essential features of the Federal Government? Explain the pattern of Federal Government in U.S.A., Australia and India.
- 5. "All the executive functions are executed in the name of the President, authenticated in such manner as may be prescribed by rules to be made by the President." Explain this statement in the light of constitutional status of President in India.
- 6 Discuss critically Party System and Anti-Defection Law.

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- 7. What is meant by Constitutionalism? Discuss Historical background of concept of Liberal view and Constitutionalism in developing societies.
- 8. Elaborate meaning, nature and importance of Constitution with the help of sources of strain in the modern constitutional practice.
- 9. Define State. Discuss the nature and scope of State under Art. 12 of the Constitution of India, with relevant case laws.

10. Comment on:

- (a) Panchayat Raj.
- (b) Judicial Review.