LL.B. IV SEMESTER

PAPER-I:

LABOUR LAW-II

Unit-I:

The Remunerative Aspects – Wages – Concepts of wages - Minimum, Fair, Living Wages - Wage and Industrial Policies - Whitley Commission Recommendations - Provisions of Code on wages, 2019 – Timely payment of wages - Authorized deductions – Claims - Minimum Wages under the code of wages, 2019 - Definitions - Types of wages - Minimum rates of wages - Procedure for fixing and revising Minimum Wages – Claims -Remedy.

Unit-II:

Bonus – concept - Right to claim Bonus – Full Bench formula - Bonus Commission - Payment of Bonus under the code on wages, 2019 - Application – Computation of gross profit, available, allocable surplus - Eligibility of Bonus-

Disqualification of Bonus - set on - set off of allocable surplus- Minimum and Maximum Bonus-Recovery of Bonus.

Unit-III:

Employees Security and Welfare aspect - Social Security - Concept and meaning - Social Insurance - Social Assistance Schemes. Social Security Legislations - Law relating to workmen's compensation - The Employee's Compensation Act 1923 - Definitions - Employer's liability for compensation - Nexus between injury and employment - payment of compensation - penalty for default - Employees State Insurance Act 1948 - Application - Benefits under the Act - Adjudication of disputes and claims - ESI Corporation - Legislation in favour of Social Security.

Unit-IV:

Employees Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1952 – Contributions-SchemesundertheAct-Benefits.TheMaternityBenefitincluding Amendment Act, 2018 - Definitions-Application - Benefits. The Payment of GratuityAct 1972 – Definitions – application - Payment of gratuity - eligibility – forfeiture – Nomination – Controlling authorities.

Unit-V:

The Factories Act 1948 - Chapters dealing with Health, Safety and Welfare of Labour. Child Labour - Rights of child and the Indian Constitution - Salient features of the Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act 1986 – The Equal Remuneration Act, 1976.

Suggested Readings

- 1. S.N.Misra, Labour and Industrial Laws, Central lawpublication
- 2. V.G. Goswami, Labour and Industrial Laws, Central LawAgency.
- 3. Khan &Kahan, Labour Law-Asia Law house, Hyderabad
- 4. K.D. Srivastava, Payment of Bonus Act, Eastern BookCompany
- 5. K.D. Srivastava, Payment of WagesAct
- 6. K.D. Srivastava, Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act1947
- 7. S.C.Srivastava, Treatise on SocialSecurity
- 8. Sukumar Singh, Labour Economics, Deep& Deep, NewDelhi
- 9. V.J.Rao, Factories Law

PAPER-II: PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW

Unit-I:

Definition, Nature, Scope and Importance of International Law — Relation of International Law to Municipal Law — Sources of International Law — Codification.

Unit-II:

State Recognition — State Succession — Responsibility of States for International delinquencies — State Territory — Modes of acquiring State Territory

Unit-III:

Position of Individual in International Law — Nationality — Extradition — Asylum —Privileges and ImmunitiesofDiplomaticEnvoys—Treaties—Formation of Treaties - Modes of Consent, Reservation and termination.

Unit-IV:

The Legal Regime of the Seas – Evolution of the Law of the Sea – Freedoms of the High Seas – Common Heritage of Mankind – United Nations Convention on the Law of the Seas – Legal Regime of Airspace – Important

Conventions relating to Airspace – Paris, Havana, Warsaw and Chicago Conventions – Five Freedoms of Air – Legal Regime of Outer space – Important Conventions such as Outer space Treaty, Agreement on Rescue and Return of Astronauts, Liability Convention, and Agreement on Registration of Space objects, Moon Treaty - Uni space -Recent development in India's space missions.

Unit-V:

International Organizations — League of Nations and United Nations — International Court of Justice —International Criminal Court - Specialized agencies of the UN — WHO, UNESCO, ILO, IMF and WTO.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. J.G. Starke: *Introduction to International Law*, Aditya Books, 10th Edition, 1989.
- 2. J.I. Brierly: *The Law of Nations*, Oxford Publishers, London.
- 3. Ian Brownlie: *Principles of Public International Law*, Oxford Publishers, London.
- 4. S.K. Kapoor, *Public International Law*, Central Law Agencies, Allahabad.
- 5. H.O. Agarwal, *International Law and Human Rights*, Central Law Publications, Allahabad.
- 6 S.K. Verma, *An Introduction to Public International Law*, Prentice Hall of India.

PAPER-III: INTERPRETATION OF STATUTES

Unit-I:

Meaning and Definition of Statutes — Classification of Statues — Meaning and Definition of Interpretation — General Principles of Interpretation — Rules of Construction under the General Clauses Act, 1897.

Unit-II:

Grammatical Rule of Interpretation — Golden Rule of Interpretation – Rule of Interpretation to avoid mischief – 60th Report of Law Commission of India, 1974 and 183rd Report of Law Commission of India, 2002 on General Clauses Act, 1892.

Unit-III:

Interpretation of Penal Statutes and Statutes of Taxation — Beneficial Construction — Construction to avoid conflict with other provisions — Doctrine of Harmonious Construction.

Unit-IV:

External Aids to Interpretation — Statement of objects of legislation, Legislative debates, identification of purpose sought to be achieved through legislation — Internal Aids to Interpretation — Preamble, title, interpretation clause, marginal notes, explanations etc. — Presumptions.

Unit-V:

Effect of Repeal — Effect of amendments to statutes — Conflict between parent legislation and subordinate legislation — Methods of interpreting substantive and procedural laws.

Suggested Readings:

1. Vepa P. Sarathi: Interpretation of Statutes, Eastern BookCo,

- 2. Maxwell: *Interpretation of Statutes*, ButterworthsPublications
- 3. Crawford: *Interpretation of Statutes*, Universal Publishers.
- 4 Chatterjee: *Interpretation of Statutes*.
- 5. G.P. Singh: *Principles of Statutory Interpretation*, Wadhwa and Company,
- 6. Cross, StatutoryInterpretation,LexisNexis

PAPER-IV: LANDLAWS

Unit-I:

Classification of lands — Ownership of Land — Absolute and limited ownership (tenancy, lease etc.) — Doctrine of Eminent Domain — Doctrine of Escheat - Doctrine of Bona Vacantia — Maintenance of land records and issue of Pattas and Title Deeds etc — The Telangana Rights in Land and Pattadar Act 2020. Land Titling (Torrens Systems): Title Guarantee, Conclusive Title, and Title Insurance.

Unit-II:

Law Reforms before and after independence — Zamindari Settlement — Ryotwari Settlement — Mahalwari System — Intermediaries — ConstitutionalProvisions — Abolition of Zamindaries, Jagirs and Inams -Tenancy Laws — Conferment of ownership on tenants/ryots.

Unit-III:

Laws relating to acquisition of property — The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013-salient Features-Procedure for Land Acquisition: Issue of notification, Social impact assessment -Consent of landowners- Award enquiry, Payment of compensation & Reference to civil courts etc

Unit-IV:

Laws relating to Ceiling on Land Holdings — The Telangana Land Reforms (Ceiling on Agricultural Holdings) Act, 1973 — Effect of inclusion in the IX Schedule of the Constitution — Interpretation of Directive Principles of State Policy in relation to land (Articles 38 and 36) – Law relating to and survey of land and sub-division – Land Rights under the Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recongnition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006.

Unit-V:

Laws relating to alienation — Scheduled Areas Land Transfer Regulation — The Telangana Assigned Lands (Prohibition of Transfers) Act, - Resumption of Lands to the Transferor/Government – Role of Special Tribunals an Courts in Resolution of land disputes.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. P. Rama Reddi and P. SrinivasaReddy: *Land Reform Laws in A.P.*, Asia Law House, Hyderabad.
- 2. P.S. Narayana: *Manual of Revenue Laws in A.P.*, Gogia Law Agency, Hyderabad.
- 3. Land Grabbing Laws in A.P., Asia Law House, Hyderabad.
- 4. G.B. Reddy: Land Laws in A.P., Gogia Law Agency, Hyderabad
- 5. 5.N.Maheshwara Swamy, Lectures on Land Laws, Asia LawHouse, Hyderabad

PAPER-V: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

Unit-I:

Intellectual Property-Meaning, Nature and Classification –Significance and need of protection of Intellectual Property — Main forms of Intellectual Property: Patents, Trademarks, Industrial designs, Geographical Indications of Goods, Copyright and Neighbouring Rights-New forms of Intellectual Property: Plant Varieties Protection and Biotechnology, GRTK, Layout Designs, Computer Programmes, Artificial Intelligence and Intellectual Property.

Unit-II:

Evolution of International Protection of IPRs-Introduction to the leading International instruments concerning Intellectual Property Rights –General PrinciplesofProtection-TheParisConvention,1883- WCT 1996 - TheBerneConvention,1886 –The Madrid Agreement,1891 and Protocol 1989 - The Patent Co-operation Treaty,1970 – The World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Conventions- TRIPSAgreement,1994 and its impact.

Unit-III:

Copyright: Meaning, Nature, historical evolution and significance- The Copyright Act, 1957 – Salient Features-Idea-Expression Dichotomy-Subject matter of Copyright Protection- Neighboring rights - Ownership of Copyright –Rights of Authors and owners -Assignment of copyright –Collective management of copyright- infringement of copyright and Criteria –Exceptions to infringement–Doctrine of Fair Use -Authorities under the Act — Remedies for infringement of copyright.

Unit-IV:

Intellectual Property in Trademarks and the rationale of their protection - The Trade Marks Act, 1999 — Definition of Trademarks — and Trade description - Kinds of Trade Marks 1 conventional and non converntional — Trademarks and Internet Domain Names — Registration of trademarks — Rights of trademark

owners- Passing off — Infringement of Trademark - Remedies-Concept of Industrial designs- The Designs Act, 2000 — Definition and characteristics of Design Registration of Design -rightsofdesignholders—Copyrightindesign—Registration Remedies for infringement.

Unit-V:

Patents — Concept of Patent — Historical overview of the Patent Law in India - The Patents Act, 1970 and its salient features — Patentable Inventions — KindsofPatents—ProcedureforobtainingpatentinIndiaandinothercountries —Rights and obligations of a patentee —Limitations on patent rights: compulsory licensing, acquisition by government and secrecy directions- Infringement of patent rights and remedies available.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. P. Narayanan: Intellectual Patent Rights, Eastern Law House, 1995.
- 2. Roy Chowdhary, Law of Trademark, Copyrights, Patents and Designs, Kamal LawHouse
- 3. G.B. Reddy, *Intellectual Property Rights and theLaw* Gogia LawAgency.
- 4. John Holyoak and Paul Torremans: Intellectual PropertyLaw.
- 5. B.L. Wadhera: *Intellectual Property Law*, Universal Publishers.
- 6. W.R. Cornish: Intellectual Property Law, Universal Publishers .
- 7.V.K.Ahuja, Law Relating to Intellectual Property Rights ,LexisNexis
- 8. Elizabeth Verkey, Intellectual Property Rights, Eastern Book Company
- 9. Elizabeth Verkey, Law of Patents, Eastern Book Company