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LAW

Prison Administration (Optional Paper-V)

Paper - 904B

(NEW SYLLABUS)

Full Marks : 80 Time : 3 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer **Q. No. 1** and any **five** from the rest.

1. Answer any **ten** questions: 2×10=20

a) What is 'Penoptican'?

b) What is the scope of 'admonition' in peal policy?

c) Who can grant pardon?

d) Which instrument deals with laws related to rules for the humane treatment of prisoners of war?

e) Since when is West Bengal Correctional Services Act 1992 operational?

f) What is skilled labour as provided in West Bengal Correctional Services Act 1992?

g) Who heads the administration of West Bengal Correctional Services?

h) What is *ex-post facto* law?

i) What is suspension of a sentence?

j) When was the first Inspector General of

Prisons appointed in India?

k) Who was sent by United Nations as an expert on Crime Prevention and Treatment of Offenders?

l) Which Supreme Court judgement necessitated the formulation of the Model Prison Manual, 2016?

2. Write a note on Open Prison System. 12

3. Discuss Prisoners Rights in the context of

a) Presumption of innocence

b) Protection against double jeopardy.

6+6=12

4. a) "Parole is a legal right" – Comment.

b) What are the different types of Parole?

c) What is furlough? 5+5+2=12

5. Discuss the major areas of reform in Correctional System in India. 12

6. Discuss the impact of international instruments on rights and conditions of Prisoners. 12

7. What is the classification of prisoners as provided in WB Correctional Services Act 1992? What are the functions of Correctional Home? 5+7=12

8. Discuss the law which allows certain offenders to be released on Probation of good conduct. 12

9. Discuss the contribution of Mulla Committee on reforms introduced in Correctional Services in India. 12
