

# END TERM EXAMINATION

SECOND SEMESTER [BA(JMC)] MAY-JUNE-2019

Paper Code: BA (JMC)-104

Subject: Media Laws and Ethics

(Batch-2016 Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Note: Attempt all questions as directed. Internal choice is indicated.

- Q1 Write notes on any two of the following:- (2x7.5=15)
- (a) Sengupta Committee
  - (b) First Press Commission
  - (c) Contempt of Court Act 1971
  - (d) Right to Information Act 2005
- Q2 "Freedom of Press is not absolute but subject to limitations". Elaborate. (15)
- OR**
- Which act through bill set up an anti-corruption ombudsman? What are its salient features and powers? (15)
- Q3 "Press Council is an important body to sustain democracy in India" Explain with its powers and functions. (15)
- OR**
- What are the Media laws made by constitution for the Parliamentary Proceedings? (15)
- Q4 What is Defamation law? Is Defamation punishable by law? Explain with the help of a case study. (15)
- OR**
- Right to Information Act and Official Secrets Act contradict with each other. Do you agree? Elaborate with the help of an example. (15)
- Q5 In your opinion does media follow its ethics of social responsibility? Elaborate with the help of recent example. (15)
- OR**
- What do you mean by Code of Ethics for Media? Explain regulatory framework of NBA and its functions. (15)

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