

JUNE / JULY - 2015

Time: 2 1/2 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

1. Explain why legal profession is considered as a noble profession.
2. Discuss the duties of an advocate towards his client.
3. Explain the circumstances under which even judges ad state can be held for contempt of court.
4. Discuss the appellate power of the Bar Council of India under the Advocates Act, 1981.
5. Explain the professional misconduct with the help of decided cases.
6. What is enrolment? What is the role of State Bar Council in this regard?
7. What is ledger? State the main features of a ledger.
8. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - a. Period of limitation for initiating of contempt proceedings.
 - b. Senoir advocates – their privileges and restrictions.
 - c. Chandrashekar Soni V. Bar Council of Rajasthan and others.
9. Solve any two of the following problems:
 - a. An advocate did not attend the court in pursuance of a call for strike by the Bar Association and the case was dismissed. Does it amount to misconduct?
 - b. 'X' and advocate intends to discuss privately with a judge about the merits of a pending case. Advise him.
 - c. An advocate refuses to return documents of his client even after the disposal of the case, on the ground that his fee is due. Whether this amounts to misconduct.



DECEMBER - 2015

**PROFESSIONAL ETHICS AND PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING
SYSTEM**

1. 'Legal profession higher than the medical profession'. Explain the responsibility of legal profession.
2. State the restrictions on the other employment towards advocate under Bar Council of ethics.
3. Discuss the duties of an advocate
 - (i) towards his colleague.
 - (ii) Towards the examination of witness
4. Explain the principle and facts of Maharashtra Vs. M.V. Dabholkar.
5. What is contempt of Court? Explain the essentials to be fulfilled to constitute criminal contempt.
6. Comment on V.C. RangaduraiVs. D. Gopalan and others.
7. What is Journal? Explain its importance.
8. Write short note on any two of the following:
 - (a) Parties to contempt proceedings.
 - (b) Advocate duty to render free legal aid.
 - (c) Trial balance.
9. Solve any two of the following problems:
 - (a) Mr. X handed over two promissory notes to advocate to file suits and paid fees. The advocate filed a suit on one of the promissory notes only and he did not represent in the Court. He told lie that suit had been filed. The complainant

came to know the facts and made complaint to the State bar Council. Decide the case.

(b) Mr. Ravi enrolled as an advocate in 1984 and had practiced in the State of Kerala as an Advocate and also member of Advocate Welfare Fund Act, 2001. Now he wants to shift his residence from Kerala and Karnataka and payment from welfare fund. The condition for payment of fund is only on production of certificate of cessation of practice as an advocate. Ravi wants to challenge this in the Court of Law. Advise him.

(c) Mr. Babu was accused of an offence appoints Mr. Raju an advocate to obtain bail from Court through his brother Mr. Kirti. Raju obtains Rs. 1,00,000/- for the same and does not represent him in the Court. When Mr. Kirti enquires, Raju said that documents required were submitted and waiting for the order of the Court. At the same time Mr. Babu was convicted by the Court. In fact Mr. Raju has not represented Babu in the Court. Is there any professional misconduct?
