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Course Handout

Kot Bhalwal, Jammu

COURSE HANDOUT

Law of Crimes –I (LL.B-206)

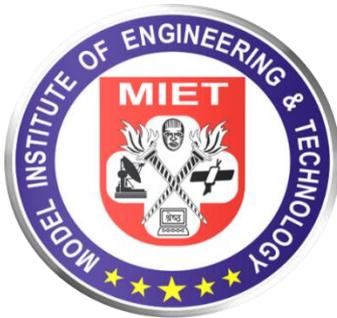
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Course Code	Course Name	Course Type	Cd	L	T	P	Marks		
							Sessional	Final Exam	Total
BBA LL.B-206	Law of Crimes- I	Generic Core	4	5	0	0	30	70	100

COURSE OUTCOMES

At the end of the course the student will be able to:	
CO1	Interpret the fundamental understanding of Substantive Criminal Law.
CO2	Articulate and apply the concept of General Exceptions under IPC.
CO3	Analyse and illustrate the Inchoate Forms of Crimes.
CO4	Appraise and apply the law relating to the Offences against the Human Body.
CO5	Demonstrate and apply the concepts and understanding of Offences against State and Property.

Detailed Syllabus

Unit-1: Introduction to Substantive Criminal Law

- 1.1 Concept of Crime
- 1.2 Distinction between Crime and other Wrongs
- 1.3 Constituent Elements of Crime: Actus Reus and Mens Rea
- 1.4 Strict Liability as an exception to mens rea
- 1.5 Punishments (Sections 53-55A, 63-65 and 73-75)

Unit-II: General Exceptions (Sections 76-106)

- 2.1 Definitions: Mistake (Mistake as Defence -Sections 76 and 79)
- 2.2 Judicial and Executive Acts (Sections 77 and 78)
- 2.3 Necessity and Infancy (Sections 81 and 82)
- 2.4 Insanity and Intoxication (Sections 84-86)
- 2.5 Private Defence against Body and Property (Sections 96-106)

Unit-III: Inchoate Forms of Crime

- 3.1 Offence of Abetment (Sections 107-108)
- 3.2 Common Intention (Section 34)
- 3.3 Criminal Conspiracy (Sections 120A and 120B)





- 3.4 Attempt to Commit Offence (Section 511)
- 3.5 Common Object (Section 149)

Unit-IV: Offences relating to Human Body

- 4.1 Homicide and Murder (Sections 299 and 300)
- 4.2 Kidnapping and Abduction (Sections 359-362)
- 4.3 Causing Death by Negligence and Dowry Death (Sections 304-A and 304-B)
- 4.4 Hurt and Grievous Hurt (Sections 319-320)
- 4.5 Cruelty by Husband and Relatives (Section 498-A)

Unit-V: Offences against State and Property

- 5.1 Offences Against the State and Sedition (Section 121 and 124)
- 5.2 Offences Against Property- Theft, Extortion, Robbery, Dacoity (Sections 378, 383, 390 and 391)
- 5.3 Criminal Misappropriation of Property and Criminal Breach of Trust (Sections 403 and 405)
- 5.4 Offence of Cheating (Sections 415)
- 5.5 Mischief and Criminal Trespass (Section 425 and 441))

Textbooks

S.No	Name of the Books	Name of the Author	Publisher Name	Edition (Pub.Yr.)
1	Textbook on Indian Penal Code	K.D. Gaur	Universal Law Publishing Co.	7th ed., 2023
2.	Ratanlal & Dhirajlal The Indian Penal Code	K Kannan and Anjana Prakash	Lexis Nexis	36th ed., 2019

Reference Books

S.No	Name of the Books	Name of the Author	Publisher Name	Edition (Pub.Yr.)
1	Principles of Criminal Law	Andrew Ashworth	Oxford University Press	6th ed., 2018
2.	P S A Pillai's Criminal Law	V. L. Vibhute	Lexis Nexis	14th ed., 2019



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COURSE PLAN

Unit-I -Introduction to Substantive Criminal Law

S.No	Topics	Recommended Books
1	Concept of Crime	Book 1, Ch.1
2	Distinction between Crime and other Wrongs	Book 1, Ch.1
3	Strict Liability as an exception to Mens Rea	Book 1, Ch.1
4	Punishments (Sections 53-55A, 63-65 and 73-75)	Book 2, Ch.2
5	Constituent Elements of Crime: Actus Reus and Mens Rea	Book 2, Ch.2

Unit-II -General Exceptions (Sections 76-106)

2.1	Definitions: Mistake (Mistake as Defence -Sections 76 and 79)	Book 1, Ch.4
2.2.	Judicial and Executive Acts (Sections 77 and 78)	Book 1, Ch.3
2.3	Necessity and Infancy (Sections 81 and 82)	Book 1, Ch.5
2.4	Insanity and Intoxication(Sections 84-86)	Book 2, Ch.5
2.5	Private Defence against Body and Property (Sections 96-106)	Book 2, Ch.6

Unit-III Inchoate Forms of Crime

3.1	Offence of Abetment (Sections 107-108)	Book 2, Ch.4
3.2	Common Intention (Section 34)	Book 2, Ch.5



3.3	Criminal Conspiracy (Sections 120A and 120B)	Book 2, Ch.7
3.4	Attempt to Commit Offence(Section 511)	Book 2, Ch.8
3.5	Common Object (Section 149)	Book 2, Ch.9
Unit-IV Offences relating to Human Body		
4.1	Homicide and Murder (Sections 299 and 300)	Book 2, Ch.10
4.2	Kidnapping and Abduction (Sections 359-362)	Book 1, Ch.11
4.3	Causing Death by Negligence and Dowry Death (Sections 304-A and 304-B)	Book 1, Ch.12
4.4	Hurt and Grievous Hurt (Sections 319-320)	Book 2, Ch.12
4.5	Cruelty by Husband and Relatives (Section 498-A)	Book 1, Ch.12
Unit-V Offences against State and Property		
5.1	Offences Against the State and Sedition(Section 121 and 124)	Book 2, Ch.15
5.2	Offences Against Property- Theft, Extortion, Robbery, Dacoity (Sections 378, 383,390 and 391)	Book 1, Ch.5
5.3	Criminal Misappropriation of Property and Criminal Breach of Trust (Sections 403 and 405)	Book 2, Ch.8
5.4	Offence of Cheating (Sections 415)	Book 1, Ch.14
5.5	Mischief and Criminal Trespass (Section 425 and 441)	Book 2, Ch.17

ADDITIONAL WEB RESOURCES

1.	MOOC: Criminal Justice Administration https://onlinecourses.swayam2.ac.in/cec21_lw04/preview
2.	SWAYAM: Criminal justice system and access to justice https://nludelhi.ac.in/moocs.aspx



GRADING AND ASSESSMENT

- **Sessional Test:** 15 marks
- **Assignment:** 10 marks
- **Attendance:** 5 marks
- **Final Examination:** 70 marks

COURSE POLICIES

- **Attendance:** Minimum 75% attendance is mandatory to appear in the final examination of the course.
- **Academic Integrity:** MIET's academic integrity policies apply. Plagiarism will not be tolerated.
- **Late Submissions:** Assignments and projects must be submitted by the specified timelines.

FACULTY INFORMATION

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