

FIRST SEMESTER M.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

SOCIAL WORK
FSOW1C05- SOCIAL LEGISLATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage: 30

Part A: Answer any *four* questions. Each carries *two* weightage.

Write short notes on:

1. Social Justice.
2. Social Legislation.
3. NHRC.
4. Child Marriage Prohibition Officer.
5. CARA.
6. UNICEF.
7. Lok Adalat.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

Part B: Answer any *four* questions. Each carries *three* weightage.

8. Explain the major features of Indian legal system.
9. Describe the concept and nature of Human Rights and the significance of UDHR in protecting Human rights.
10. Briefly explain the major provisions of POCSO Act 2012.
11. What are the remedies available for women under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act 2005.
12. Critically examine the provisions of the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act 2007 in the light of increasing violence and abandonment of elderly people in the country.
13. Explain the legal provisions available to safeguard the rights of the people belonging to the Scheduled Caste and the Schedule Tribes.
14. Discuss how the schemes and programmes under the Legal Aid Services support people who are poor and needy.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

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Part C: Answer any *two* questions. Each carries *five* weightage.

15. Write an essay on the various roles of social worker in promoting human rights.
16. Juvenile Justice Act 2015 plays a significant role in protecting the rights of children. Substantiate using the provisions of the Act.
17. Explain how the provisions of social security legislations help in protecting the rights of the working class in India.
18. Public Interest Litigation is a tool for the citizen to ensure social justice in the country. Explain this statement with the scope of PIL and procedure for filing PIL in India.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)