LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.Com. DEGREE EXAMINATION - COMMERCE

THIRD SEMESTER - November 2009

CO 3500 - BUSINESS LAW - I

Date & Time: 04/11/2009 / 9:00 - 12:00 Dept. No. Max. : 100 Marks

SECTION - A

(10 x 2=20 marks)

Answer ALL the questions:

- 1. What is an unilateral contract?
- 2. What is a General Offer? Give an example.
- 3. What is "Privity of Contract?"
- 4. Define "Free consent".
- 5. Give at least four situations where the object or consideration of an agreement is unlawful.
- 6. What are 'Non-Gratuitous Acts? 'Give an example.
- 7. What is 'Novation'?
- 8. Define the term 'Finder of Goods'.
- 9. Mention the types of 'Agencies by implied Agreement'.
- 10. Who is a "Del Credere Agent'?

SECTION - B

 $(5 \times 8 = 40 \text{marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions:

- 11. Explain the provisions of 'Lapse of an offer' under the Indian Contract Act.
- 12. 'An agreement without consideration is Void' However, there are certain exceptions to this rule.-State them.
- 13. Mention the persons who are disqualified by the law to which they are subject and who are not competent to enter into a contract.
- 14. What are the remedies for breach of contracts.
- 15. Discuss in detail the Provisions of the Indian Contract Act with regard to the persons who are entitled to perform the contract.
- 16. Explain the main points of difference between the 'Contract of Indemnity' and the 'Contract of Guarantee'.
- 17. Describe in detail the duties of a Bailor.
- 18. Bring out the important points of differences between Sub-agent and Substituted-agent.

SECTION - C

 $(2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ marks})$

Answer any TWO questions.

- 19. Define the 'Offer'. Explain the essential and legal rules for valid offer giving suitable examples.
- 20. What is 'Void Agreement'? Explain any six agreements which have been expressly declared to be void by the Indian Contract Act.
- 21. Discuss briefly the different modes by which the agency can be terminated.

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