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B.B.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,  
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Third Semester

Business Administration — Main

BUSINESS LAW

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. \_\_\_\_\_ indicates that the parties are not further bound under the contract.
- (a) waiver of a contract
  - (b) discharge of a contract
  - (c) rescission of a contract
  - (d) breach of a contract

2. An agreement consists of reciprocal promises between at least \_\_\_\_\_ parties.
- (a) 4
  - (b) 6
  - (c) 3
  - (d) 2
3. A contract is said to be made without consent when the contract is caused by \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) coercion
  - (b) undue influence
  - (c) fraud
  - (d) mistake by fact
4. Undue influence is a kind of \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) mental coercion
  - (b) physical coercion
  - (c) both (a) and (b)
  - (d) none of the above
5. In a contract where time is specified for performance, the promisor shall perform the contract \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) within specified time
  - (b) within a reasonable time
  - (c) within the shortest time
  - (d) within the latest time
6. In which of the following way can a contract be discharged?
- (a) By performance
  - (b) By operation of law
  - (c) By lapse of time
  - (d) All the above

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7. A guarantee given for the minor's debt is \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) valid (b) void  
(c) voidable (d) illegal

8. The delivery of goods by one person to another for some specific purpose is known as \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Bailment (b) Pledge  
(c) Hypothetical (d) Mortgage

9. In an agreement to sell, the property in goods is transferred in \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) future  
(b) past  
(c) present  
(d) all the above

10. Out of the following, which one is the duty of a bailee?

- (a) To take care  
(b) To take a reasonable care  
(c) To sell the goods  
(d) To retain the goods

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PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b), each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) What are the elements of an offer?

Or

(b) Explain the different types of consideration.

12. (a) Discuss the various kinds of mistakes.

Or

(b) Describe the essentials of Fraud.

13. (a) Who can perform a contract? Explain.

Or

(b) Discuss the various ways through which a contract can be discharged by operation of law.

14. (a) Briefly explain the different kinds of Guarantee.

Or

(b) What are the duties of bailor?

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15. (a) Explain the required essentials of a valid sales.

Or

- (b) What are the essentials for a valid agency?

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b),  
each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Describe the different kinds of contract.

Or

- (b) Explain the legal rules which govern an acceptance.

17. (a) Discuss the essential elements of Coercion.

Or

- (b) Distinguish between Fraud and Misrepresentation.

18. (a) In what situations, a contract is not discharged on the ground of supervening impossibility?

Or

- (b) Explain the type of damages awarded in case of a breach of contract.

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19. (a) Distinguish between a contract of Indemnity and a contract of Guarantee.

Or

- (b) Describe the rights of Bailee.

20. (a) Explain the implied conditions contained in the sale of goods Act.

Or

- (b) Explain different types of delivery.

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