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School: School of Law

Program: BBA LLB

Course: Journalism & Mass Communication

Course Code: BLB 301

Semester: 5TH semester

Max Marks: 40 mark

Duration (mins): 2 hours (120 mins)

Q1. Answer the following questions:

- A) Why do you think the fundamental right of freedom of speech and expression, privacy, press as guaranteed under the Indian Constitution, is needed to be protected? **(2 marks)**
- B) What are the available reasonable restrictions and permissible restrictions available with reference to right to privacy, press and expression under the Indian constitution? **(3 marks)**
- C) Ram and Sham were two partners of a book store named "Lucky book store". Ram also loves to make beautiful paintings and sell them. He once made a painting on the rape victims in India. The picture portrayed few naked women, few women dressed up beautifully standing in a public place, girls on their way to school. But sadly he was refused to sell the particular painting on the grounds of obscenity and morality? **(5 marks)** Ram has hired you as his lawyer.
- 1) You have to identify Ram's which fundamental right has been infringed.
 - 2) Should he be prohibited on sale of such paintings on the grounds of obscenity and morality?
 - 3) Justify your answers with a suitable case law.

Q2. “Right to privacy means right to be let alone.” How have the Indian courts interpreted the term privacy and protected the right to privacy under the Indian constitution? Elucidate your answers with suitable case laws. **(10 marks)**

Q3. Write short notes on the following:

- 1) Bullet theory & Two Step Flow Theory. Explain with suitable example. **(3 marks)**
- 2) Role and limitation on Media while exercising their rights under freedom of speech and expression. **(5 marks)**
- 3) Below mentioned are the key notes of an incident in Delhi. You are a newspaper editor specialist. Write down an abstract keeping in mind the 7 C's of communication.

Hauz Khas, Delhi, India , Kidnapping of girl , 7 pm, market place, Girl was raped, her husband reported the case at police station **(2 marks)**

Q4. Sanjay Leela Bansali, is a film producer. He wants to produce a documentary on “Rani Padmavat.” He had planned to include the love and emotions of Rani and her husband Mr Ratan Singh. The film also depicted moments and plight of practice of Sati and few scenes of Rajput community and their battles. There were objections raised by Central Board of film certification (CBFC) to ban the release of movie on the grounds of display of romantic scenes, and scenes which might hurt the sentiments of the Rajput community.

Do you believe the prohibition was justified? Write an analysis and elucidate your answers with at least 2 case laws on how the matters concerning right to freedom of speech expression has been protected by the Indian courts against CBFC. **(10 marks)**

*****ALL THE BEST*****