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End Semester Examination, December 2024
LL.B. (H.) – 5th Semester
INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL LAW (SOLS425)

Time: 2.5 hrs.

Max Marks: **50**

Note: ***All Questions are compulsory. Marks are indicated against each question.***

PART-A

Q.1 Attempt 5 questions from the following.

- (a) What is the purpose of international criminal law? [CO-1] [L-1] **2**
- (b) List three crimes that fall under the jurisdiction of the ICC. [CO-2] [L-2] **2**
- (c) What are the main penalty provisions under the ICC? [CO-1] [L-1] **2**
- (d) Describe the appeal process for cases tried in the ICC. [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (e) What is the presumption of innocence, and why is it a fundamental principle in the ICC? [CO-3] [L-3] **2**
- (f) Explain the principle of *nullum crimen sine lege* and its importance in international criminal law. [CO-3] [L-3] **2**
- (g) What criteria must be met for the ICC to initiate an investigation? [CO-2] [L-2] **2**

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PART-B

There will be five questions each covering one specific Course Outcome from the complete syllabus. There shall be an internal choice in each of the questions covering the same (set) of COs and BL. Questions carrying 10 marks can be further sub divided as per the paper setter choice.

- Q.2 Discuss the structure and main functions of the ICC and how they contribute to international Justice. [CO-2] [L-2] **10**

OR

Explain in detail the different sources of international criminal law and discuss how they contribute to the development of international justice. [CO-2] [L-2] **10**

- Q.3 Discuss the historical development of international criminal law and its significance in contemporary global justice. [CO-1] [L-1] **10**

OR

Mention and explain general principles of criminal law upheld by the ICC. [CO-3] [L-3] **10**

- Q.4 Analyze the process of investigation and prosecution under the ICC framework and evaluate the effectiveness of these provisions. [CO-4] [L-4] **10**

OR

Evaluate the challenges associated with the revision process at the ICC and suggest possible solutions. [CO-5] [L-5] **10**

- Q.5 Analyze the balance between state sovereignty and the jurisdiction of the ICC in prosecuting international crimes. [CO-5] [L-5] **10**

OR

Discuss the penalty provisions of the International Criminal Court and explain the appeal and revision process in detail. [CO-1] [L-1] **10**