



**Fourth Semester LL.M. Examination, June/July 2012**  
**Course – II : LAW RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION**  
**AND COMPETITION**  
**(Business and Trade Law) Specialisation (Paper – VIII)**

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- Instructions:**
1. Answer **all five** questions.
  2. **One** essay type and **one** short note question or problem from **each** Unit have to be attempted which is referred as Part **(a)** and Part **(b)** in **all** units.
  3. Figures on the **right** indicate marks.
  4. Answer should be written **only** in **English**.

Q. No. 1. (a) Explain the objectives and legislative history of Consumer law. Marks : 10

OR

Trace the developments of Consumer-law in U.S.A., U.K. and India.

(b) What are the rights of a Consumer ? Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on doctrine of caveat-emptor and exceptions.

Q. No. 2. (a) Explain the three-tier system of Consumer Redressal Agencies in India. Marks : 10

OR

“The term unfair trade practices covers any fault, imperfection or short coming in the quality, quantity, potency, purity or standard of goods”. Comment.

(b) What is deficiency in services ? Refer to case laws. Marks : 6

OR

What remedies are available to consumer under the Consumer Protection Act ?

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- Q. No. 3. (a) Consumerism has been defined as “a social-movement seeking to argument the rights and powers of buyers in relation to sellers”. Explain.

Marks : 10

OR

“In a welfare state it is the duty of the state to conserve the health of the people by preventing food adulteration”. Comment on the legislative measures to control adulteration.

- (b) Explain consumer protection councils.

Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on International organization of consumer unions.

- Q. No. 4. (a) Explain Sherman and Clayton Act.

Marks : 10

OR

Examine the historical development of Anti-Trust-Law in U.S.A.

- (b) Write a note on mergers and acquisitions.

Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on restraint of trade.

- Q. No. 5. (a) Explain the important features of Competition Act 2002.

Marks : 10

OR

Examine perfect, imperfect and monopolistic competitions.

- (b) Write a note on principle of differential advantage.

Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on degree and economic competition in the Retail Trade.