

**Proceedings of 3rd Meeting of the Board of Studies,
Centre for Law held on February 20, 2017 at 10.00 a.m.**

Members present:

- Prof. Manjit Singh Nijjar, Member
- Prof. Rattan Singh, Member
- Dr. Alpna Saini, Member
- Dr. Sunil Mittal, Member
- Dr. Deepak Kumar, Member
- Dr. Puneet Pathak, Member
- Dr. Tarun Arora, Chairperson

The COC (Chairperson) welcomed all the members to the 3rd (third) meeting Board of Studies and expressed his gratitude for sparing their valuable time to provide a firm footing to the Centre for Law.

The meeting of Board Studies requires to be convened for discussion on following issues:

- Agenda No. 1: Review and updating Course Structure, content of Courses in syllabus and suggested readings of LL.M. 2 Years Programme.
- Agenda No. 2: Review of Inter-disciplinary Paper offered by the Faculty of the Centre.
- Agenda No. 3: Review of Course Structure and Syllabus of Pre-Ph.D. Programme in Law.
- Agenda No. 4: Any other item with the permission of the Chair.

Item No. BOSCL:3:2017:1

Review and updating Course Structure, content of Courses in syllabus and suggested readings of LL.M. 2 Years Programme.

Course Coordinators of following courses realized the need to update the content of following course:

- LSR. 502: Computer Applications**
- LSR.552: Indian Constitution and New Challenges**
- LSR.553: Comparative Public Law and Governance**
- LSR 554: Principles of Legislation and Interpretation**
- EVL 602: Environmental Law and Policy: International Development**
- HRL. 651: Criminal Justice System and Human Rights**

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HRL.652: Refugees and Humanitarian Law

CPL.603: Regulation of Capital Market and Foreign Investment

CPL.652: Law of Corporate Finance and Securities and Regulations

After deliberations on the agenda item 1(a), the Board examined the syllabus minutely and after deliberations in detail, following amendments have been suggested in the course structure and scheme:

LSR. 502: Computer Applications

New topics inserted in Unit 04 (*Information Technology Act, 2000 and Cyber Crime in India*)

LSR.552: Indian Constitution and New Challenges

Unit 04 Serial No. 09 part of topic need to be deleted:

Legislative Relations between Centre and State *with reference to environmental issues*

LSR.553: Comparative Public Law and Governance

Update Suggested Readings

LSR 554: Principles of Legislation and Interpretation

Restructuring of contents

Unit II: Both topics to be shifted to Unit IV

Unit II & III: Literal Rule, Mischief Rule and Golden Rule to be shifted to Unit –II.

Unit III: to contain: Rule of Beneficial Construction along with Internal aids to construction

Unit IV: to contain: External Aids to construction; Subsidiary Rules and Latin Maxims; Indian Judiciary and Trends in Judicial Interpretation; ~~Classification of Statutes;~~ ~~Commencement, Extent and Operation of Statutes~~

EVL 602: Environmental Law and Policy: International Development

1. In Unit II- topic no. 4 is to be shifted as Part I of Unit-III.
2. In Unit II- at the place of Topic numbered as 4, UNEP and Nairobi should be added.

6. Following new topic inserted in Unit 04 (1. Humanitarian -human rights nexus, 2. War crimes and Human rights, 3. IHL in internal armed conflicts, 4. Protection of cultural property during war /conflicts, 5. Terrorism, Security and Human Rights, Counter-Terrorism, Military Intervention, Risks and Costs, Surgical Strikes)

Update Suggested Readings

CPL.603: Regulation of Capital Market and Foreign Investment

1. Second part of unit 01 shifted to unit 02
2. Following new topic inserted in Unit 03 (Investment in India: Entities into which FDI can be made, Issue of Financial Instruments)
3. Following new topic inserted in Unit 04 (The FEMA, 1999: Regulations and Management of Foreign Exchange)

Update Suggested Readings

CPL.652: Law of Corporate Finance: Securities Regulations

1. Insertion of word Reconstruction should be prefixed to Merger replaced by reconstruction in Unit 04 : **Reconstruction- Merger, Amalgamation and Take over.**

Update Suggested Readings

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Review of Interdisciplinary Courses

Course Coordinators of following ID courses have presented these courses for review:

ID Course LSR.507: General Legal Awareness

1. Following new topic inserted in Unit 01 (Salient features of Indian Constitution, Legislature: Parliament and State Legislature, Judiciary: Supreme Court & High Courts, Executive: Centre & State, Emergency Provisions under Indian Constitution, Directive Principles of State Policy)
2. Following topics deleted: Rights of Rights of Convicted Person, Rights to Compensation, Rights of Consumer, Right to Information Act 2005, Rights to Service)

- 3. In Unit II- Topic numbered as 5 & 8 to be deleted.
- 4. In Unit II- Topic numbered as 6 & 7 to be shifted in Unit IV.
- 5. In Unit II- Topic numbered as 9 should be:

UNCED: Rio Declaration, CBD, UNFCCC, Agenda 21

Since Forest Principles have also been discussed in other paper, need to be deleted from this paper.

- 6. In Unit II- Topic no. 10 & 11 to be deleted.
- 7. In Unit IV- topics of WSSD, 2000; Rio, 2012 and Paris- 2015 should be added.

HRL. 651: Criminal Justice System and Human Rights

- 1. Second part of Unit 01 shifted to Second Unit at no. 05
- 2. New topics inserted in Unit 01 (Criminal Procedure and Human Rights: Constitutional Provisions, Criminal Justice System in India, Police Organization, Prosecution, Courts.)
- 3. Following new topics inserted in Unit 02 (1. Reporting a Crime: FIR, 2. Investigation: Investigation Overview Search, Seizure, Investigation/Preliminary Questioning, 3. Arrest: Circumstances and Rights when Arrested, 4. Bail, Detention, Trial)
- 4. Following new topics inserted in Unit 03 (1. Recent Developments in Criminal Justice System, Landmark Judgements, 4. Human Rights and Prison System in India, 5. Drug Addiction and NDPS Act, 1985)
- 5. Following new topic inserted in Unit 04 (International Criminal Tribunals)

Update Suggested Readings

HRL.652: Refugees and Humanitarian Law

- 1. First part of unit 02 shifted to unit 01
- 2. First & Second Part of Unit 03 shifted to Unit 02
- 3. Following new topic inserted in Unit 02 (Conflicts and displacement in North-East)
- 4. Content of unit 04 shifted to unit 03
- 5. Following new topic inserted in Unit 03 (IHL and UN peace Operations)

ID Course LSR.558: Human Rights and Governance

1. Following topics deleted from unit 01(Preamble, Fundamental Rights, DPSP)
2. Following new topic inserted in Unit 01 (National Commission for Women, National Commission for the Protection of Child Rights)
2. Following topics deleted from unit 02 (Protection of HR Act 1993, State Human Rights Commission, Contemporary Issues relating to HR in India: HR and Corruption, HR and Refugee, HR and Environmental Protection)
3. Following new topic inserted in Unit 02 (Rights of Arrested Person, Rights of Accused Person Rights of Convicted Person, Rights of Victim & Compensation, Legal Protection of Women & Children
4. Following new topic inserted in Unit 02 (Drafting of Application/Complaints, Application under RTI & RTS, Application/Complaint under Consumer Law)

The syllabus was approved by the Board after additions referred above.

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Course Structure and Syllabus of Pre-Ph.D. Programme in Law

Course Structure and Syllabus of Pre-Ph.D. Programme in Law has been reviewed. No changes have been suggested.

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Additional Items

The Chairperson presented two more issues for consideration of the Board of Studies.

- (a) The style of footnoting for the purpose of dissertation or thesis work in LL.M. and Ph.D. Courses.
- (b) In pursuance of UGC directive issued on D.O. No. f.1-1/2016 (Secy) dated 30th January 2017 for inclusion of names of Journals in the UGC Notified Journal List, the Members were requested to give their recommendations of journals.

The members unanimously suggested ILI Footnoting style for the purpose of dissertation work.

The members recommended the names of journals in the list attached herewith:

The Board recommended the Syllabus to be presented in the School Board. The members of the Board praised the team of Centre for Law working in the Centre for the preparation of detailed ground work.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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