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School of Law**Integrated Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Law
Semester End Examination - Nov 2023****Duration : 180 Minutes
Max Marks : 100****Sem IX - BALB5010 / BBLB5010 - Law of Writs**General Instructions*Answer to the specific question asked**Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary**Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator*

- 1) Define Writ and its purpose in the Indian legal system. K1 (2)
- 2) Examine the way Article 12 contribute to ensuring the accountability and responsibility of entities exercising governmental functions in India? K2 (4)
- 3) Explain the significance of Public Interest Litigation in ensuring access to justice in India. K2 (6)
- 4) Discuss the applicability of maxim Res Judicata in case of filing writ petition. K3 (9)
- 5) A group of environmental activists has been protesting against a construction project that they believe will cause irreversible damage to a protected forest area. The local authorities have ignored their pleas, and the project is moving forward. Which writ can the activists file to halt the construction and protect the forest? Discuss in support of case laws. K3 (9)
- 6) Discuss the concept of "advisory jurisdiction" of the courts in writ proceedings. K5 (10)
- 7) Discuss the grounds for issuing writ of prohibition and Quo-warranto. K4 (12)
- 8) Mary's father is unlawfully detained by the police without any charges against him. The police refuse to disclose the reason for his detention. What writ can Mary file to secure her father's release and seek information about the grounds of his detention? Discuss in support of case laws. K5 (15)
- 9) Whether a writ of quo warranto be used to challenge the appointment of a public servant? If Yes, Explain the rules of issuing this writ. K5 (15)
- 10) Explain the significance and scope of Article 226 of the Indian Constitution. How does it empower High Courts to issue writs and orders? Provide examples of situations where Article 226 can be invoked and its impact on ensuring justice and protecting citizens' rights. K6 (18)