## 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?

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.

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