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ON THE EXAMINATION OF STUDENT FOR BACHELOR OF LAW (LLB) THREE YEARS COURSE.

1. There shall be courses of study leading to the degree of Bachelor of Law designated as LLB. The duration of the course shall be minimum period of three years. The academic session in each year shall be from 1st July to 30th June of the new calendar year. The course shall be a full time course.

2. (i). The minimum qualifications required for admission to the course for LLB Degree shall be a Bachelor Degree in any discipline of the NEHU or any other Universities recognised by NEHU.

   (ii). The admission to the LLB course shall be as per the rules prescribed by the BCI from time to time.

3. (i) The course of study for LLB shall be by regular attendance at the requisite number of lectures, tutorials or moot courts in a College as per requirements of BCI.

   (ii). The student shall be required to put in a minimum, attendance of 66% of the lectures in each of the subject as well as at tutorials, moot court and practical training course.

   Provided that in exceptional cases for reasons to be recorded and communicated to the BCI the Principal of a Law college and the Dean of the Faculty of Law may condone attendance short of these required by the rule, if the student has to attend 66% of lectures in aggregate.

4. The details of courses to be covered in each paper mentioned in the above regulations shall be prescribed by the Board of Under Graduate Studies in Law.

5 A candidate must pass three written examination in law as noted below:

   (i) LLB First year Examination at the end of the first year.

   (ii) LLB second year examination at the end of the Second Year.

   (iii) LLB third year Examination at the end of the Third year.

6. There shall be a total of 28 papers/subjects as per the BCI Rules divided into LLB. 1st Year, LLB 2nd Year and LLB 3rd Year Examination.

7. The distribution of papers of compulsory, optional and practical papers shall be as follows:

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Name of Paper/Subject	Marks
LLB First Year Examination	
1. Land Laws	100
2. Jurisprudence	100
3. Family Law-I	100
4. Interpretation of Statutes	100
5. Tort & Consumer Protection Laws	100
6. Legal Language and Legal writing	100
7. Contract-I	100
8. Constitutional laws	100
9. Professional Ethics (Practical)	100
LLB Second Year examination	
10. Contract-II	100
11. Family Law-II	100
12. Property Law-II	100
13. Administrative Law	100
14. Company Law	100
15. Environmental Law & Protection of Wild life and Animal Welfare.	100
16. Labour Laws	100
17. Drafting Pleading & Convincing (Practical)	100
LLB Third Year Examination	
18. Criminal Procedure Code, Juvenile Justice and Probation of Offenders Act.	100
19. Law of Evidence	100
20. Civil Procedure code and Limitation Act	100
21. Human Rights and International Law	100
22. Law of Crimes	100
23. Moot Court pre-trial preparation and Court Visit (practical).	100
24. Arbitration and Alternative Dispute Resolution	100
25. Public Interest Lawyering, Legal Aid and Legal Services (Practical)	100

In addition to the above compulsory papers, there shall be at least one more paper in each year, which may be chosen from the list given hereunder:

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26. Taxation Laws.
27. Legal history
28. Insurance law
29. Conflict of Laws.
30. Trust, Equity and Fiduciary Relationship.
31. Criminology and Penology.
32. Women and Law and Law Relating to Child.
33. Law and Medicine.

8. The medium of instruction and the medium of examination for all LLB examinations shall be English.
9. Each written paper in the LLB Course of study shall be for 100 marks containing five questions and every examination shall be of three hours duration.
10. Any candidate who prosecuted a regular course of study as explained in this regulation, so far as the subjects for First year, Second year and Third year Examinations are concerned, may be admitted to that examination, if he deposits his application which such fee and with a certificate in such from and within such time as may be prescribed by the university.

    A candidate, who failed to pass or present himself for any examination shall not be entitled to claim refund of the fee.
11. In order to qualify in a particular examination leading to the LLB Degree, i.e. LLB First year, LLB second Year, LLB Third Year examination, a candidate shall have to secure at least 30% of marks in each paper and at least 45% of marks in aggregate including practical paper.
12. A candidate who failed to pass or appear in any annual examination in theoretical papers but he/she completed the practical papers and secured pass percentage of marks in such examination, the marks obtained in practical papers shall be carried forward for the subsequent examinations and the candidate shall not be required to complete the practical papers for the next examination in such cases.
13. A candidate securing 45% marks and above in aggregate and 30% or more marks in individual paper in each year of LLB Examination but less than 60% marks in aggregate shall be declared to have passed in the second class. A candidate securing 60% and above in the aggregate and 30% or more marks in individual paper in each year of LLB Examination shall be declared to have passed in the First Class.
14. The LLB degree of the University including First year, Second Year and Third Year, shall be a total 2800 marks and on successful completion of all the LLB examination of First Year, Second Year and Third Year, the result of candidate shall be arranged in First Class and Second Class taking into account the aggregate of all the three examination out of 2800 marks.

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15. All the examinations leading to the LLB degree shall be held twice in a year ordinarily in January and July every year commencing on a date to be notified by the University. The examination held ordinarily in the month of July on completion of one full academic session shall be regular annual examination and the examination held in January in mid-session shall be supplementary examination.

16. A candidate who fails to pass or fails to appear in the regular annual examination for which he has pursued regular course of study for the full year shall have to pass in that examination at the next two consecutive examinations of the same standard excluding the supplementary examination.

    However, a candidate who appeared in the said annual examination but failed to pass in note more than two theoretical papers shall be allowed to appear in the subsequent supplementary examination of that year, which can be availed only once by the candidate.

17. All candidates shall continue in the next class of a year after the previous examination of the year irrespective of the results of the previous examination subject to fulfilment of the following conditions.

    (i). A candidate of First Year shall be promoted to Second Year class if he/she fulfilled the required attendance.

    (ii). A candidate of Second Year shall be promoted to Third Year class if he/she does not have more than two back papers of the second year examination and has cleared all the papers of First Year Examination.

    (iii). Candidates who fail to get promotion to the next higher class due to having more back papers than stipulated above shall register themselves as a casual candidate in the subsequent examination if the respective year. However the maximum number of chances to clear any examination shall not exceed three times.

18. A candidate who has pursued regular course of study in any year and has appeared in that year regular annual examination but failed to pass in more than two theoretical papers and those appeared in supplementary examination but failed to pass in the said not more than two papers, shall have to appear in all the papers of that year examination.

19. The Board of Studies in Law shall recommend a panel of names of paper setters, examiners, moderators and examiners for re-assessment and post publication scrutiny for answer scripts and in addition the Board of Studies shall also recommend one or more teachers to act as scrutinizer.

20. The paper setter shall ordinarily set double number of the questions to the required number of question to be answered in a paper. Each question in all theoretical paper shall have two or more parts concerning the Long and Short descriptive types answer as well as short answer. As far as possible, the question should be so chosen as to cover the whole course.

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