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**LL.B (Hons) (5 Year Course) 10th  
Semester/LL.B Hons 3 Year  
Course 6th Semester  
Examination- December, 2015**

**INTERPRETATION OF STATUTE AND  
PRINCIPLES OF LEGISLATION P.Code 1003**

**Paper III**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Max. Marks : 80**

Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard will be entertained after the examination.

**Note :** Attempt any **four** questions selecting at least **one** from each Unit of Section-B. Section-A is **compulsory**.

**SECTION - A**

1. Explain in brief :

(a) Principle of utility

(b) Harmonious Rule of Interpretation

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(c) Construction

(d) Limitation of the courts of Interpretation

(e) External aids

(f) Rule of Stare Decisis

(g) Rule of Pari Materia

(h) Object of Interpretation

**SECTION - B**

**UNIT - I**

2. "The court cannot add words to a statute or read words into it which are not there. The court shall decide what the law is and not what it should be ? Explain.

3. "Since the will of the legislation is expressed generally in the form of a statute, the prime concern of the court is to find out the intention of the legislature." Discuss.

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**UNIT - II**

4. What rules of Interpretation are applied in case of Taxing statute ?
5. How the penal statutes are construed ?

**UNIT - III**

6. What rules of Interpretation are applied in the construction of the Indian Constitution ?
7. Explain the meanings of the maxims "Rule of Pari Materia" and "Rule of Ejosdem Generis"

**UNIT -IV**

8. Explain the concept that "Legislation is a Science." What restrictions are imposed in the making of a legislation ?
9. Explain the Bentham's theory of Legislation in detail.