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**ML 1029**

**LL.M. DEGREE (SEMESTER) EXAMINATIONS, JULY 2023.**

(For the candidates admitted from 2020–2021 onwards)

First Year – Second Semester

**BRANCH XV — FAMILY LAW**

<b>PAPER VIII : CHANGING TRENDS IN FAMILY LAW</b>	<b>CODE :</b>	<b>PVC</b>
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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 60 marks

**PART A — (3 × 12 = 36 marks)**

Answer THREE of the following.

1. Elaborate the processes of social change and its impact on family law in India.
2. 'The family welfare programme has high priority in India because its success depends upon the quality of life of all citizens'– Discuss in the light of family welfare policies and programmes in India.
3. "Surrogacy (Regulation) Act is a law with a flaw"– Critically evaluate the above statement in the light of surrogacy laws in India.
4. Analyse the psycho-social effects of divorce and point out the rights of Indian women after divorce.
5. 'LGBT rights in India have been evolving rapidly in recent years' – Evaluate in the light of relevant laws and judicial decisions.

**PART B — (4 × 6 = 24 marks)**

Answer FOUR of the following in about 250 words each.

6. Describe the right to respect for family life enshrined under the European Convention on Human Rights.
7. Analyse the legal right to education in India.

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8. Examine the legal rights and status of children born out of Live-in-Relationships.
  9. Discuss the relevant penal provision relating to outraging the modesty of women.
  10. Write a critical note on Dowry Deaths.
  11. Examine the role of Counsellors on Gender Issues.
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