

**NALSAR PROXIMATE EDUCATION  
NALSAR UNIVERSITY OF LAW, HYDERABAD  
P.G.DIPLOMA IN MEDIA LAWS  
2009-10**

**PAPER II- MEDIA – LEGAL FRAMEWORK**

TIME: 2 HOURS

MARKS: 60

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- 1. The questions to be interpreted as given and no clarification can be sought from the invigilator.**
- 2. No printed or handwritten materials will be allowed in the hall.**
- 3. All questions carry equal marks**
- 4. Clearly indicate the Question numbers**

**ANSWER ANY FOUR OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS**

1. Define Crime of Defamation and discuss its components as provided under IPC? Explain essential aspects of criminal defamation with examples and decided cases.
2. How truth operates as defence to case of Defamation? Explain the difference between crime and civil wrong of defamation with reference to truth as defence.
3. What is Contempt of Court? Is it a civil wrong or crime? Whether sting operation by TV media during criminal trial amounts to contempt of court?
4. Can media help in securing Human Rights? Explain with cases
5. Is censorship of movies valid? Do you think censorship is needed for TV journalism also.
6. Write short notes on any two
  - a) Incitement to an offence
  - b) Parliamentary privileges
  - c) Indian Express cases