

**NALSAR PROXIMATE EDUCATION
NALSAR UNIVERSITY OF LAW, HYDERABAD
P.G.DIPLOMA IN MEDIA LAWS
2001-02**

PAPER III- CONVERGENE AND NEW MEDIA

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. Only bare Acts are allowed –no book with commentary or explanations or text or presentation material 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. Discuss the autonomy of government electronic media under Prasar Bharti Act. Do you think the Parliamentary committee's control over Doordarshan is proper and justified?
2. Discuss the salient features of Broadcasting Bill, 1977 with special reference to regulating the public property of airwaves.
3. Evaluate the concept of convergence and discuss the salient features of the Convergence Bill.
4. Critically analyze the controls provided under the Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995 along with new amendments in 2002.
5. Write short notes:
 - a) Hero Cup Case
 - b) Complaints Redressal system under Prasar Bharti Act
 - c) News policy of Broadcast media
6. Write short notes:
 - a) Indian Telegraph Act
 - b) Verghese Committee Report
 - c) Direct to Home Service and Regulation