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## School of Liberal Education

Master of Arts in Political Science  
Semester End Examination - Nov 2023

Duration : 180 Minutes  
Max Marks : 100

### Sem III - POL6017 - International Law

General Instructions

Answer to the specific question asked

Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary

Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

- 1) Identify and explain the primary sources of international law. K1 (2)
- 2) How International Law and Domestic Law influence each other? K2 (4)
- 3) Analyze the challenges that arise when a state seeks to withdraw from or terminate a treaty. What are the potential legal and diplomatic implications, and how can states navigate these situations while maintaining good international relations? K2 (6)
- 4) Discuss the role of Amnesty International as a non-governmental organization focused on human rights advocacy. What methods does it use to raise awareness and promote change? K3 (9)
- 5) Analyze the challenges that arise when attempting to balance cultural relativism and universality in human rights. How do different cultural perspectives influence the interpretation of human rights principles? K3 (9)
- 6) Describe the legal and moral significance of the term "genocide." What are the specific acts that constitute genocide, and how is it different from other crimes? K5 (10)
- 7) Describe the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court (ICC) and its authority to prosecute individuals for crimes such as genocide, war crimes, and crimes against humanity. K4 (12)
- 8) Discuss the role of good offices in diplomatic dispute settlement. How do states or international organizations offer their services to facilitate communication and negotiation between conflicting parties? K5 (15)
- 9) Describe the role and functions of the International Court of Justice (ICJ) in settling international disputes. How does it differ from other international tribunals? K5 (15)
- 10) Provide examples of treaty-based dispute settlement mechanisms, such as those outlined in bilateral and multilateral treaties, and explain how they guide states in resolving specific types of disputes. K6 (18)