GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY GANDHINAGAR

Course: Introduction to Law and Economics Semester- IV (Batch: 2020-25)

End Semester Online Examination: May 2022

Date: 15th May, 2022 Duration: 8 hours

Max. Marks: 50

Instructions:

- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answer.
- No questions or clarification can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.
- You are required to formulate your own examples. Illustrate diagrams wherever relevant.
- Word Limit: 10 Marks: 1000 words.

(Attempt Any Five) Marks Q.1 Explain efficient Contractual Remedies and the distribution of surplus in zero (10)transaction cost situation when a fortunate contingency incentivizes the promisor to breach on the original contract. Q.2 Explain the Double Trust Dilemma and how is it addressed by corporate law. Elaborate (10)the economic principles governing the core common features of corporate law. Q.3 Explain the Liability system as an Exchange system, based on Neo Classical Economics (10)and applied to Law and Economics by formulating suitable example from Crime (Retribution and Deterrence). Q.4 Explain and apply Ordinal Utility Analysis to Cyber Insurance and Detrimental Reliance (10)and suggest policy prescriptions. Explain and apply the Cardinal Utility Analysis to Patents and Product Liability and Q.5 (10)suggest Law and policy outcomes. Explain how do the payoffs and incentives to players (who are strategically Q.6 (10)interdependent) change under different legal rules in case of a Motorist and Pedestrian and in case of different legal rules of abating pollution.
