

DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR OFFICERS OF THE WEST BENGAL
CIVIL SERVICE (EXECUTIVE)

1A

November, 2008

LAW - PAPER I (Criminal Law and the Law of Evidence)
(Without Books)

Time Allowed : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 100

Pass Marks : 50

Answer Question No.1 and any three questions from
Group A and any two from Group B.

Group A

1. Distinguish between the expressions in any four of the following :-
 - (a) Hurt and Grievous hurt
 - (b) Wrongful gain and wrongful loss
 - (c) Dishonestly and fraudulently
 - (d) Theft and Robbery
 - (e) Cheating and Criminal Breach of trust. 5x4
2. Explain the following terms as used in the I.P.C. (any four) of the following :-
 - (a) Reason to believe
 - (b) Public Servant
 - (c) Court of Justice
 - (d) Judge
 - (e) Gender. 5x4
3. When security for good behaviour from habitual offender can be taken? 20
4. Person once convicted or acquitted not to be tried again for the same offence. Elucidate. 20
5. What is dying declaration ? Explain stating evidentiary value of dying declaration. 20
6. Write notes on the following :-
 - (a) Judicial notice.
 - (b) May Presume and Shall Presume. 20

Group B

7. Discuss the Provisions of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 relating to the confiscation of essential commodity. 10
8. When is a public servant said to commit a criminal misconduct? 10
9. Discuss the provisions relating to the power of the special judge to try any offence summarily under the prevention. 10