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60308

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) EXAMINATION

(For Batch 2024 & Onwards)
PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH
CDLU/AEC/1/101

Time: Two Hours

Maximum Marks: 35

Note: Attempt *Three* questions in all, selecting *one* question from each Unit. Q. No. 1 is compulsory.

- 1. Short answer type questions: $1 \times 7 =$
 - (i) What do you mean by conjunction?

 Define and give at least one example.
 - (ii) Explain the meaning of the following pair of words:

Canvas, Canvass

- (iii) Give antonyms of the following:
- (iv) Give synonyms of the following:
- (v) A speech without any previous preparation. (One word substitution)
- (vi) Explain and use the following legal term in a meaningful sentence:Defendant
- (vii) Change the voice of the following:

 Deposit this money in the bank.

Unit I

- 2. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions: $7\times2=14$
 - (i) Be content.....what you have.
 - (ii) He did not give any reply.....my question.

- (iii) Man does not live.....bread alone.
- (iv) I worked in the garden.....three till six.
- (v) There is an exception.....every rule.
- (vi) Neither a lender.....a borrower be.
- (vii) He died.....cancer last year.
- 3. Change the narration of the following sentences: $7\times2=14$
 - (i) She said, "He is the man I will punish".
 - (ii) Who calls me a coward"? Said the land lady.
 - (iii) Parent said to the teacher, "Will my daughter pass or fail"?
 - (iv) "What is it, sir?" I said.
 - (v) She said, "I have to stay near the bank".
 - (vi) Prem Singh said, "Can I stop now?"
 - (vii) His mother said, "He is too big for you."

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Unit II

- 4. Use the following pairs of words into sentences:
 - (i) Corporal, Corporeal
 - (ii) Device, Devise
 - (iii) Beside, Besides
 - (iv) Complementary, Complimentary
 - (v) Especial, Special
 - (vi) Human, Humane
 - (vii) Classic/Classical.
- 5. Explain the following legal terms and frame meaningful sentences: 14
 - (i) Commutation
 - (ii) Ex Parte
 - (iii) Mitigating Circumstances
 - (iv) Trial
 - (v) Jury
 - (vi) Bench
 - (vii) Malfeasance.