

Faculty of Shariah and Law Semester I, 2014/2015 Academic Session

Examination Question Paper

Course Code: LB 3301

Course Name: Land Law I

Course Level: Bachelor of Laws (LL.B)

Time : 3 hours

Reference allowed Land Code (Cap. 40)

Notes:

(1) Answer any four questions.

(2) Support your answers with the relevant statutory provisions and decided cases.

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Question 1 (15 marks)

Discuss the objective, features, principles and the advantages of the Torrens System.

Question 2 (15 marks)

The Law of Fixture in Brunei Darussalam generally adopts the maxim "Quic quid plantator solo solo cedit".

Explain the maxim and trace its origin and elaborate the test used to determine fixtures.

Question 3 (15 marks)

Briefly discuss the various "dealings" available under the Torrens System.

Question 4 (15 marks)

Indefeasibility of title and interest is a cardinal principle of Torrens System.

Explain this principle and discuss the circumstances in which this principle can be challenged.

Question 5 (15 marks)

Discuss the extent of ownership and / or enjoyment in the granting of certain rights, whether proprietary or otherwise, by the State in respect of any land to private or public persons.

Question 6 (15 marks)

Write short notes on any three (3) of the followings:

- (a) Adverse possession.
- (b) Temporary Occupation License (TOL).
- (c) Easements.
- (d) Charges and Liens.
- (e) Alienation of Land.

(5 marks each)

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