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**NAIPUNNYA INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AND INFORMATION
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FIRST SEMESTER END SEMESTER EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2025

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

SOW1C05 - SOCIAL LEGISLATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

Section A

Answer any four questions not exceeding 100 words
Each question carries 2 weightage

1. Write a note on the aim of the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007. CO4
2. Give one reason why people hesitate to approach legal aid. CO4
3. Define Legal Aid. CO2
4. Describe about the objectives of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005. CO3
5. What do you mean by the term inalienable in the context of human rights? CO1
6. Discuss on the remedies that are provided under the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, 2013. CO3
7. Why is legal aid important in a democratic society? CO1

Section B

Answer any four questions not exceeding 300 words
Each question carries 3 weightage

8. How can a social worker apply the principle of "equality" while working with a marginalized community? CO4
9. Analyze the role of PIL in empowering citizens. CO1
10. What are the structural challenges faced by senior citizens in accessing legal remedies? CO4
11. How can a poor woman file a case under legal aid? CO4
12. Compare the protective measures in the PwD Act and SC/ST Act. CO4
13. Name any two specialized agencies of the United Nations that work for the protection of human rights. CO1
14. Explain the implications and remedies under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005. CO3

Turn Over

Section C

Answer any two questions not exceeding 800 words

Each question carries 5 weightage

15. Explain the concept and nature of human rights. Discuss the values associated with human rights such as dignity, liberty, equality, justice, and unity in diversity. CO1

16. How do the International Covenants of 1966—the ICCPR and ICESCR—help protect human rights globally? CO1

17. Describe the process of making social legislation in India. How do different institutions and stakeholders contribute to this process? CO2

18. Explain the objectives and social relevance of the Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995. CO4
