

PG QUESTIONS – DESCRIPTIVE – SAMPLE SET FOR MAY 26, 2020

1. Have the Supreme Court's pronouncements in *Government of NCT of Delhi v. Union of India and Another*, C.A. No. 2357 of 2017, strengthened or weakened cooperative federalism in India?
2. To what extent can prevailing religious practices be challenged on the grounds of equality in a republic that guarantees the freedom of religion as a fundamental right?
3. Does an extended lockdown of over two months constitute forced preventive detention of the lesser privileged sections of society, given the restriction of people's civil liberties amid economic uncertainty and near-poverty-like conditions for many? To what extent can or should the government of a constitutional democracy restrain a citizen's civil liberties in the interests of protecting their health?
4. Does the High Court of Andhra Pradesh's *suo moto* cognisance in relation to the gas leak that occurred at the chemical plant of LG Polymers India Private Limited in Vishakhapatnam in May 2020 reflect a change in Indian jurisprudence regarding absolute liability since *Union Carbide Corporation v. Union of India and Others*, 1989 SCC (2) 540?
