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Semester: X

Program/course: B.B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) [CL]

Subject: International Arbitration Max. Marks: 100 Code: LLBL 152 Duration: 3 hours

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Section A: (5x2)

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2. What is a domestic award as per the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 199?

Section B: (2x10)

- 3. Write short notes on the following:
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Section C: (2x10)

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- 5. What are the limitations on the choice of substantive law in an international commercial arbitration? Discuss.

Section D: (2x25)

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- 5) Law governing the proceedings in case of a conflict between the law of the seat and the law governing the arbitration proceedings.
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