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**Time** : 03 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

## **UPES**

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**Course: Information Technology Law** 

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**Instructions: All Questions are compulsory** 

## SECTION A (5Qx2M=10Marks)

S. No.		Marks	CO		
Q 1	What do you understand by the term "Phishing"?	2	CO1		
Q 2.	Define Private key	2	CO1		
Q 3	What do you mean by "access" under the IT Act?	2	CO1		
Q 4	Discuss the difference between digital signature and electronic signature.	2	CO1		
Q 5	Briefly define cyberspace.	2	CO 1		

## SECTION B

(4Qx5M= 20 Marks)

Q 6	Explain the conditions in which Digital Signature may be revoked by issuing authorities.	5	CO2	
Q 7	Discuss any two powers of the Controller of Certifying Authorities.	5	CO2	
Q 8	What is electronic evidence and electronic record? Explain the nature and admissibility of electronic record.	5	CO2	

Q 9	What are the various types of Cyber Crime? Discuss in brief.	5	CO2
	SECTION-C (2Qx10M=20 Marks)		
Q 10	Toogle Inc. Is a big technology giant in India. Recently there are reports of it totally digitizing its contracts. You are the legal advisor to the company. It has approached you to understand various kinds of electronic contracts that are legally acceptable as per Indian legal regime. Kindly advice.	10	CO3
Q 11	"Intermediaries have an obligation to prevent the occurrence of unlawful or harmful activity by users of their services or through their platform". Critically examine the statement and explain the Due Diligence requirements to be complied with by the Intermediaries.	10	CO3
	SECTION-D (2Qx25M=50 Marks)		
Q 12	<ol> <li>Read the following and answer accordingly</li> <li>Gabbar unauthorisedly accesses the computer of Basanti and obtains her email password details and afterwards fradulently sends a message to Basanti's aunty, pretending to be Basanti herself and demands for a sum of Rs. 2 Lakhs in account number mentioned in the email.</li> <li>Has Gabbar committed any crime under the Information Technology Act, 2000? Elucidate referring to judicial decisions.</li> <li>Anoushka Shanker's e-mail account is hacked by Junaid an old friend, he attempts to blackmail her using her photographs, what is his liability?</li> </ol>	25	CO4
Q 13	Read the following case  The gist of the case is that the defacto complainant / 2nd respondent had lodged a complaint on 18.10.2012 and the relevant portion of the complaint, explaining the facts of the case are as follows:	25	CO4

I am a well-known singer in South India and the CEO of my entreprenuerial venture-Blue Elephant. In order to connect with my fans, Iam active on social media platforms like Twitter and Facebook. I have close to 1 lakh followers on Twitter. Since January 2011, I have been facing criminal intimidation on twitter. A few individuals have threatened to kill, rape and assault me. There are aspersions cast on my character as well as a chronic steam of extremely vulgar references and innuendoes http://www.judis.nic.in even about my mother, patently false information that could pit groups against me, thereby endangering my life, has also been put out by trouble makers, Many of these tweets are in Tamil. I am pasting an english translation of a sample of the offensive tweets. Screen shots of these pages on twitter are attached with this complaint.

The same people gang up, with new Ids and have also been saying Iam against Tamil, Tamil Tweeters and Tamil Bloggers and that I have also have taken up cudgels against srilankan tamils.

In addition to this online stalking and harassment on twitter, some of the offenders also target me in their blogs such as "rajanleaks" and http://mantra3787.blogspot.com/ (the blog has been removed as of a week ago. Investigation will reveal that these cyber criminals have also been posting obscene comments about several VVIPs in chennai.

May I please request you to have your cyber crime cell investigate this complaint, nab the culprits and prosecute them under the Indian Penal Code, Information Technology Act, the Tamilnadu Prohibition of Harassment Of Women Act and other provisions of law.

Discuss the possibly remedies available to the singer in this case.