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LLB DEGREE PROGRAMME – LEVEL IV
CONTINUOUS ASSIGNMENT TEST II 2023/2024
FAMILY LAW LLU4609



DATE: 15th December 2024

TIME 1.30 P.M. – 2.30 P.M.

The candidates will be penalized for Illegible handwriting.

Select any **TWO** cases from **Part A** and **ONE** case from **Part B**, and prepare 3 (Three) case notes. Your case notes should include the following:

- **Facts of the Case:** Briefly outline the key facts and background of the case.
- **Legal Issues and significance:** Identify the primary legal issues involved and explain why this case is significant in the context of Family Law
- **Judgment:** Summarize the decision made by the court

PART A

- Natalie Abeysundere v. Christopher Abeysundere (1998) 1 Sri LR 185*
- Gunaratnam v. Registrar General (2002) 2 Sri L R 302.*
- Gracia Catherine v. Wijegunawardene (1984) 2 Sri LR 381.*
- Selvaratnam v. Anandavelu (1941) 42 N.L.R. 487*
- Gunatilleke v. Milli Nona (1937) 38 NLR 291.*
- Milton v. Baby Nona (1985) Sri L.R. 212*

(7 x 2 = 14 Marks)

PART B

- Tisselhamy v. Nonnohamy (1897) 2 NLR 352*
- Dinohamy v. Balahamy (1927) 29 N.L.R. 114*
- Kandiah v. Thangamany (1953) 55 N.L.R. 569*
- Sarathchandra v. Attorney General (2004) 3 Sri L R 42.*

(6 Marks)