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### REGULAR PROGRAMME

### JC-L 203: PROCESSES II

# Date: DECEMBER 2019 Duration: 2 Hours INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1. a) A trial goes through many phases before it is concluded and a definitive sentence is issued, briefly explain these phases
  - b) Mention the 4 ways by which a sentence can be challenged
- Q2. What do you understand by incidental matter? describe two examples of incidental matters
- Q3. What are the essential elements of a libellus? What are the scenarios in which a libellus can be rejected by the judge?
- Q4. What is moral certitude? Explain how the judge arrives at moral certitude before pronouncing judgment.
- Q5. In order for the Judge to reach the certainty of the matter under trial, he requires proofs. Briefly explain the 5 kinds of proofs specified in the

1983

Code.

- Q6. Explain the following terminologies:
  - i) Abatement
  - ii) Renunciation
  - iii) Contestatio litis
  - iv) Res iudicata
  - v) Restitutio in integrum
  - vi) Rogatorial commission

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