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**MAIN EXAMINATION**

**JANUARY – APRIL 2019 TRIMESTER**

**INSTITUTE OF CANON LAW**

**REGULAR PROGRAMME**

**JC-L 208: INSTITUTES OF CONSECRATED LIFE AND SOCIETIES OF APOSTOLIC LIFE**

**Date: APRIL 2019**

**Duration: 2 Hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions**

- Q1. a) Give the juridical and theological definition of consecrated life as outlined in canon 573.
- b) What do you understand by spiritual patrimony of an institute of consecrated life?
- Q2. With regard to institutes of consecrated life, what do you understand by the terms:
- a) erection  
b) aggregation  
c) merger  
d) federation  
e) confederation
- Q3. a) What are the canonical principles which govern apostolates of religious?
- b) Outline the rights and obligations of religious prescribed in canons 662-672.
- Q4. a) Mention the key aspects of novitiate formation outlined in canon 652§ 2?
- b) Give the requirements for validity of temporary profession.
- Q5. a) What are the levels of divisions of a religious institute and what is the authority constituted in them?

- b) What are the canonical obligations of the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience?
- Q6.
- a) Distinguish between automatic, obligatory and discretionary dismissal?
  - b) What are the steps to be followed in the dismissal process?

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