



**MAR IVANIOS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)**  
**THIRUVANANTHAPURAM**

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**Fifth Semester B.Com. Degree Examination, November 2016**

**First Degree Programme under CBCSS**

**Elective Course: Commerce – III (Stream 2)**

**AUCO591.b: Co – operative Legal System**

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

**SECTION – A**

*Answer ALL questions in one or two sentences.*

1. Define apex society.
2. Define Committee.
3. Define Sale Officer.
4. Name the first Co operative Societies Act in India.
5. Name the Act which govern Co operatives in Kerala.
6. Define Bye law.
7. Define Award.
8. Define Nominal or Associate Member.
9. Explain the term Quorum for the meeting.
10. Mention the year in which Multi – State Co – operative Societies Act was passed.

**(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)**

**SECTION – B**

*Answer any EIGHT questions, each in a short paragraph not exceeding 50 words.*

11. Define Section 4 of the Kerala Co – operative Societies Act.
12. Define the term Registrar.
13. Define a Member.
14. Define the term Surcharge.

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15. Explain the term Supersession.
16. Explain the circumstances of winding up of a Co – operative Society.
17. Who can become a member of a society ?
18. What is Certificate of Registration ?
19. State the circumstances under which an inquiry order can be issued by Registrar under Section 65 ?
20. State the purpose of amalgamation of Co – operatives.
21. State the functions of managing committee.
22. Explain the powers of a Sale Officer.

**(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)**

## SECTION – C

Answer any **SIX** questions, each in a paragraph not exceeding 120 words.

23. Distinguish between Inspection and Inquiry.
24. Can a member be expelled from a Society ? Why and How ?
25. State the qualifications required to become Board members.
26. State the transactions made in the first General Body meeting.
27. Explain the purpose for which special general body meeting shall be convened.
28. State the procedure of change of liability of the society.
29. State the features of Co – operative Societies Act, 1912.
30. Explain the main object of Model Co – operative Bill.
31. Explain the privileges of a co – operative society.

**(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)**

## SECTION – D

Answer any **TWO** questions, not exceeding four pages.

32. Explain the formalities of Registration of a society in your area.
33. Define the term winding up. State the formalities of winding up of a Co – operative society.
34. State the contents of Bye – Law of a Co – operative Credit Society.
35. Explain the history of co – operative legislations in Kerala.

**(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)**

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