

# UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO, SRI LANKA

## Faculty of Management and Finance

Bachelor of Business Administration (Level I- Semester II) Repeat Examination- 2010

**MGT 1103- Introduction to Constitutional and Administrative Law in Sri Lanka**

**One (01) Hour**

Answer any **Two (02)** questions only.

Total number of questions: Five (05)

Candidates will be penalized for illegible hand-writing.

All questions carry equal marks.

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1. Do you think that the provisions of 1978 Constitution of Sri Lanka protect the independence of Judiciary?

Support your answer with relevant provisions of the Constitution.

2. "The powers of the executive president under 1978 Second Republican Constitution of Sri Lanka is greater than any other such executive president in the world".

Do you agree? Discuss with relevant provisions of the Constitution.

3. "A Constitution once adopted is rarely replaced with another but could be improved through appropriate amendments when the need arises."

Comment on the above statement in the light of the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> amendments to the 1978 Constitution of Sri Lanka.

4. Briefly explain what Fundamental Rights have been recognized and guaranteed in the 1978 Constitution and describe what remedies would be available for a person in a violation of such rights.

5. "If an individual has suffered a grievance at the hands of a public body, he may be able to obtain redress through the court"

Discuss the above statement in the light of the basic principles of Administrative law.

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