

		<b>SGT UNIVERSITY, GURGAON</b> <b>FACULTY OF LAW</b>	
<b>PROGRAMME</b>	<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>COURSE NAME</b>	<b>COURSE CODE</b>
LL.B. (Hons)	II	Law of Crime – II (Cr.P.C)	08040204

### **Law of Crime – II (Criminal Procedure Code)**

#### **Course Objective:**

This course is meant to provide an overview of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1973 which reinforces the functioning of the criminal justice system in India. Students will be taught the procedure to be followed by the police, the courts and other stakeholders when a crime has been committed or is suspected to have been committed. Starting from the filing of an FIR right to the investigation of the crime to the trial and sentencing of the accused, the students will be given a complete overview of criminal procedural law.

#### **Module – I Introduction**

- 1.1 Definitions
- 1.2 Constitution & Powers of Criminal Courts & Offices
- 1.3 Arrest of Persons & Rights of arrested persons
- 1.4 Processes to Compel appearance of persons
  - a. Summons
  - b. Warrant
  - c. Proclamation & Attachment of Property
- 1.5 Processes to Compel production of things
  - a. Summons to Produce & Search Warrants
  - b. General provisions relating to Search

#### **Module – II Pre-Trial Proceedings**

- 2.1 Information to Police & their Powers to investigate
- 2.2 Jurisdiction of Criminal Courts in Inquiries & Trials
- 2.3 Conditions requisite for Initiation of proceedings
- 2.4 Complaints to Magistrates
- 2.5 Commencement of proceedings before Magistrates
- 2.6 Provisions as to Bail & Bonds

#### **Module – III Trial Proceedings**

- 3.1 Framing of Charge & Joinder of Charges
- 3.2 Trial before a Court of Session
- 3.3 Trial of Warrant cases by Magistrates

- 3.4 Trial of Summons cases by Magistrates
- 3.5 Summary Trials
- 3.6 Evidence in Inquiries & Trials & General provisions

**Module – IV      Miscellaneous**

- 4.1 Appeals
- 4.2 Reference & Revision
- 4.3 Transfer of Criminal cases & Execution, Suspension, Remission & Commutation of Sentences
- 4.4 Irregular Proceedings & Limitation for taking Cognizance of certain offences
- 4.5 Plea Bargaining

**Course Outcomes:** After the successful completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Acquaint themselves with the procedural aspects of the criminal justice system, thereby creating a sound conceptual framework for studying substantive criminal law.
2. Demonstrate an understanding of the principles underpinning the CrPC.
3. Critically analyse complex issues arising out of the provisions of the CrPC and apply the same in practice.

**Suggested Reading:**

1. K.N. Chandrasekharan Pillai, *R.V. Kelkar's Lectures on Criminal Procedure*, Eastern Book Company, 2013
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3. Aiyer, Mitter, *Law of Bails- Practice and Procedure*, Law Publishers(India) Pvt. Ltd., 2012
4. P.V. Ramakrishna, *Law of Bail, Bonds, Arrest and Custody*, Lexis Nexis, 2008
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6. Justice P.S. Narayana, *Code of Criminal Procedure*, ALT Publications, 2012
7. *Bare Act of Code of Criminal Procedure*, 1973
8. S.C. Sarkar, *The Law of Criminal Procedure*, Wadhawa&Co. , Nagpur, 2007
9. Ratanlal&Dhirajlal, *Criminal Procedure*, Lexis NexisButterworthsWadhwa,Nagpur, 2012