Statutory body under an Act of Parliament (Under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Corporate Affairs)

Vision

"To be a global leader in promoting good corporate governance

Motto

सत्यं वद। धर्मं चर। इक्टब्रेस the truth. abide by the law.

Mission

"To develop high calibre professionals facilitating good corporate governance"

## **EXAMINER'S OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS**

(June 2023 Examination)

## Question Papers Weblink for June 2023 Examination

Subject Name	Web-link		
	Executive Programme		
Jurisprudence, Interpretation and General Laws	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/421.pdf		
Company Law	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/422.pdf		
Setting up of Business and Closure	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/423.pdf		
Tax Laws	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/424-A.pdf		
Corporate and Management Accounting	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/425-A.pdf		
Securities Laws and Capital Markets	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/426.pdf		
Economic, Business and Commercial Laws	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/427.pdf		
Financial and Strategic Management	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/428-A.pdf		
	Professional Programme		
Governance, Risk Management, Compliances and Ethics	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/431.pdf		
Advanced Tax Laws	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/432.pdf		

Drafting, Pleadings and Appearances	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/433.pdf		
Secretarial Audit, Compliance Management and Due Diligence	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/434.pdf		
Corporate Restructuring, Insolvency, Liquidation & Winding-up	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/435.pdf		
Resolution of Corporate Disputes, Non- Compliances & Remedies	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/436.pdf		
Corporate Funding & Listings in Stock Exchanges	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/437.pdf		
Multidisciplinary Case Studies	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/438.pdf		
	Elective Papers		
Banking Law and Practice	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/441.pdf		
Insurance – Law & Practice	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/442.pdf		
Intellectual Property Rights – Laws and Practices	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/443.pdf		
Labour Laws & Practice	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/446.pdf		
Insolvency – Law and Practice	https://www.icsi.edu/media/webmodules/examination/June20 23/448.pdf		

EXAMINER'S OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS (June 2023 Examination)

EXAMINERS' OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS ON THE PERFORMANCE OF EXAMINEES FOR EXECUTIVE PROGRAMME AND PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMME IN JUNE 2023 EXAMINATION

Table – A

Statement Showing the Marks Obtained by the Candidates in all Papers of Executive Programme

June 2023 Examination

Subjects	Percentage of Candidates Secured		es Secured
	40 to 49% marks	50% to 59% marks	60% and above marks
EXECUTIVE PROGRAMME			
MODULE 1			
Jurisprudence, Interpretation & General Laws	11.34	4.32	0.61
Company Law	8.02	2.36	0.14
Setting up of Business Entities and Closure	15.08	8.68	2.05
Tax Laws	14.60	7.87	2.98
MODULE 2			
Corporate & Management Accounting	15.46	12.35	4.21
Securities Laws & Capital Markets	18.68	10.01	1.00
Economics, Business and Commercial Laws	14.28	6.32	0.07
Financial and Strategic Management	15.43	8.15	1.14

## **JURISPRUDENCE, INTERPRETATION & GENERAL LAWS**

## Executive Programme Module 1 Paper 1

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q6A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

### **COMPANY LAW**

# Executive Programme Module 1 Paper 2

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entirepaper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

Q6	Overall performance	Poor
	Conceptual Understanding	Poor
	Analytical Skills	Poor

### **SETTING UP OF BUSINESS ENTITIES & CLOSURE**

## Executive Programme Module 1 Paper 3

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2A	Overall performance	Below Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4A	Overall performance	Below Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

Q5	Overall performance	Below Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

### **SECURITIES LAWS & CAPITAL MARKETS**

## Executive Programme Module 2 Paper 6

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Below Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Average

	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
	Overall performance	Average
Q6A	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

## **ECONOMIC, BUSINESS AND COMMERCIAL LAWS**

## Executive Programme Module 2 Paper 7

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q 1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 3	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q 4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 6	Overall performance	Average

	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
	Overall performance	Good
Q 6A	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Entire paper		Average

Table - B

Statement Showing the Marks Obtained by the Candidates in all Papers of Professional Programme

June 2023 Examination

Subjects	Percentage of Candidates Secured		
	40 to 49% marks	50% to 59% marks	60% and above marks
PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMME			
MODULE 1			
Governance, Risk Management, Compliances and Ethics	28.71	10.90	1.19
Advanced Tax Laws	33.44	11.74	1.80
Drafting, Pleading and Appearances	47.39	16.53	1.32
MODULE 2			
Secretarial Audit, Compliances Management and Due Diligence	20.54	7.61	0.34
Corporate Restructuring, Insolvency, Liquidation and Winding up	30.15	14.43	2.99
Resolution of Corporate Disputes, Non- Compliances and Remedies	33.20	8.68	0.54
MODULE 3			
Corporate Funding and Listings in Stock Exchanges	33.44	19.89	5.32
Multidisciplinary Case Studies	37.52	13.25	1.18
Banking Law & Practice (Elective Paper)	34.84	34.15	10.10
Insurance Law & Practice (Elective Paper)	10.20	55.10	10.20

Intellectual Property Rights-Law & Practices (Elective Paper)	36.56	10.08	1.19
Labour Law & Practice (Elective Paper)	42.75	23.71	3.03
Insolvency Law and Practice (Elective Paper)	39.82	16.25	1.83

## GOVERNANCE, RISK MANAGEMENT, COMPLIANCES AND ETHICS

# Professional Programme Module 1 Paper 1

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Good
	Overall performance	Good
Q1	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q2	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q3	Overall performance	Very Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Very Good
	Analytical Skills	Very Good
Q4	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
	Overall performance	Good
Q5	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q6	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

### **ADVANCED TAX LAWS**

# **Professional Programme Module 1 Paper 2**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

Q6	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6A	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

## **DRAFTING, PLEADINGS AND APPEARANCES**

# **Professional Programme Module 1 Paper 3**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

## SECRETARIAL AUDIT, COMPLIANCE MANAGEMENT AND DUE DILIGENCE

# **Professional Programme Module 2 Paper 4**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entirepaper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average

	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6A	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

## CORPORATE RESTRUCTURING, INSOLVENCY, LIQUIDATION & WINDING-UP

## **Professional Programme Module 2 Paper 5**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q 1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

	Overall performance	Very Good
Q 6	Conceptual Understanding	Very Good
	Analytical Skills	Very Good
	Overall performance	Average
Q 6A	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

## RESOLUTION OF CORPORATE DISPUTES, NON-COMPLIANCES & REMEDIES

## Professional Programme Module 2 Paper 6

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entirepaper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Below Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Below Average
	Analytical Skills	Below Average
Q2	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q2A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q3A	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Below Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Below Average
	Analytical Skills	Below Average

### **CORPORATE FUNDING & LISTINGS IN STOCK EXCHANGES**

## **Professional Programme Module 3 Paper 7**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q2	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q5	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q6	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

### **MULTIDISCIPLINARY CASE STUDIES**

# **Professional Programme Module 3 Paper 8**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q 1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Under-standing	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
	Overall performance	Good
Q6	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

### **BANKING - LAW & PRACTICE**

## **Professional Programme Module 3 Elective Paper 9.1**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q1	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q2	Overall performance	Poor
	Conceptual Understanding	Poor
	Analytical Skills	Poor
Q3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q6	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average

### **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS- LAWS AND PRACTICES**

## **Professional Programme Module 3 Elective Paper 9.3**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Average
Q 1	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Under-standing	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q5	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
	Overall performance	Good
Q6	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

### **LABOUR LAWS & PRACTICE**

# **Professional Programme Module 3 Elective Paper 9.6**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	
Q1	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q2	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q3	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q4	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q5	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q6	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

#### **INSOLVENCY - LAW AND PRACTICE**

## **Professional Programme Module 3 Elective Paper 9.8**

Q. No.	Parameters	Remarks
Entire paper	Overall performance	Good
Q 1	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q 2	Overall performance	Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good
Q 3	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 4	Overall performance	Average
	Conceptual Understanding	Average
	Analytical Skills	Average
Q 5	Overall performance	Very Good
	Conceptual Understanding	Very Good
	Analytical Skills	Very Good
	Overall performance	Good
Q 6	Conceptual Understanding	Good
	Analytical Skills	Good

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#### **Generic Comments:**

The candidates are advised to:

- Understand and analyze the question before attempting the same.
- Properly read and understand the language of the question.
- Avoid writing lengthy answer.
- Improve drafting and presentation skills.
- Focus on entire syllabus instead of selective study.
- Write Specific answers to the question rather than covering the general points.
- Update themselves with the latest amendments/changes in Company Law, SEBI Laws, Income Tax, GST and other relevant Laws/Rules/Regulations.
- Refer Guideline Answers uploaded by the Institute on its website from time to time.

Read Study Material, Relevant Reference Books, Guideline Answers, Chartered Secretary Journal, Student Company Secretary, Monthly updates, supplements available on ICSI website for information and further updates.

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