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2023_1 POP EXAMINATION

Programme: B. A. Islamic Studies

Course Code: ISL 431

Course Title: Principles of Islamic Jurisprudence

Credit Unit: 2.0 Units

Time Allowed: 2 hrs

Introduction: Answer any three Questions.

1. Define *'Uṣūl al-Fiqh* and its various components. And then differentiate between *Fiqh* and „*Uṣūl al-Fiqh.*

2. Define and explain the implications of *Al-Ḥukm sh-Shar-'ī* or *al-Taklīfī* which imposes duties, and then expound the concept of *al-Wājib / al-Farḍ.* Give a critical presentation of the stand of various schools and shades of opinion

3. Discuss *as-sabab* (a Cause to a jurisprudential requirement), its divisions and Characteristics. Give examples for your submissions.

4. Examine the stand taken by both the anti-*qiyās* and pro-*qiyās* elements on its application as a source of Islamic law.