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Practice Questions on Tort Law for CLAT 2024

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PRACTICE QUESTIONS ON TORT LAW

1. Pigeon hole Theory in Tort was given by:

- (a) Salmond
- (b) Winfield
- (c) Glanville Williams
- (d) Pollock and Holmes

2. Defamation is a ____

- (a) crime
- (b) tort
- (c) both a and b
- (d) none of the above

3. Tort is a ____.

- (a) Breach of Trust
- (b) Breach of Contract
- (c) Criminal wrong
- (d) Civil wrong

4. Which of the following legal maxim is not related to the law of tort?

- (a) Ubi jus ibi remedium
- (b) Res ipsa Loquitur
- (c) Ex turpi causa non oritur action
- (d) Consensus ad idem

5. Which of the following is not an element of an intentional tort?

- (a) An intentional tort occurred.
- (b) An injury resulted from the tort.

- (c) The tort did not cause the injury.
- (d) The injury caused damages to the person.

6. Which of the following is not an element of negligence?

- (a) The defendant has no duty to others, including plaintiff, to exercise reasonable care
- (b) The defendant breaches that duty through an act or culpable omission
- (c) As a result of that act or omission, the plaintiff suffers an injury
- (d) The injury to the plaintiff is a reasonably foreseeable consequence of the defendant's act or omission

7. A pedestrian crosses a road negligently and is hit by a driver who was driving negligently. This is a case of ____

- (a) Negligence of the driver
- (b) Recklessness of the driver
- (c) Tort of Contributory Negligence
- (d) Nuisance

8. When Master is held liable for the act of the servant, it is called ____.

- (a) Joint Liability
- (b) Vicarious Liability
- (c) Contributory Liability
- (d) Concurrent Liability

9. Unlawfully entering someone's property is called ____.

- (a) Trespass
- (b) Encroachment
- (c) Unlawful breach of property
- (d) None of the above

10. "Tortious liability arises from breach of duty, primarily fixed by law; this duty is towards persons generally and its breach is redressable by an action for unliquidated damages" This definition is given by ____.

- (a) Winfield
- (b) Salmond
- (c) Fleming
- (d) Goodheart

Answers

- 1. a
- 2. c
- 3. d
- 4. d
- 5. c
- 6. a
- 7. c
- 8. b
- 9. a
- 10. a

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