

International Islamic University Chittagong

Department of Law

Final examination (Online), Autumn-2019

Course Code: L-3606

Course Title: Law of Crimes (Substantive)-I

Total Marks: 40

Time: 24 Hours maximum

Question No. 1 carries 20 marks; and Q.2 & Q.3 carry 10 marks each.

1. **George Floyd**, a 46 years old unarmed black man who was suspected for dealing counterfeiting currencies was arrested by Police on late May, 2020 in the United States of America (USA). **Derek Chauvin**, a white skin Police man in presence of his colleagues handcuffed him, pinned on the ground and his knee was on Floyd's neck ignoring his cries that he could not breathe and subsequently died in traumatic **asphyxia** (asphyxia happens when oxygen flow is cut off, causing the brain and other organs to stop working). **The Hennepin County** autopsy report revealed that the victim was suffering from heart disease, methamphetamine (intoxication item) receiver and was Corona positive survivor on 3rd April. But the police man claimed that he intended to arrest only, not killing. Considering the fact, focus on following issues-

Is it 'murder' or 'culpable homicide'? Do you think the police men who were present in spot liable? Can you ignore his "pre weaknesses" in body which may have accelerated his death? Your arguments must include relevant sections of law, case references and special reference to leading case *Reg. vs Govinda*, ILR, 1876.

2. Is the 'Rape' sexual intercourse against her "will" only? Do you think is 'early marriage' the effective solution for it? If not, suggest the measures that should be taken by a State to minimize the rate of rape crimes.
3. "Omission to assist public servant by a private person"- is it punishable? A police officer comes to arrest Mr. X but he denies going with him in absence of warrant. Is it mandatory to have 'warrant' in all times? Is it considered as "Omission" to public servant by Mr. X? Explain mentioning the relevant sections regarding it.

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