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Test -II

Clinical Course I - June 2026

Subject: Professional Ethics & Professional Accounting System

Max Marks: 40 **Time:1½ Hr.**

I. Answer any three **3 X 10**

1. What is the meaning of 'Contempt of Court'? What are the types of Contempt? Explain.

2. What are the defences available for Criminal Contempt of Court? Does critically evaluating the merits of a judgment amount to contempt?

3. Whether the Supreme Court can suspend the license to practice of an advocate in contempt of court case? Discuss in light of the landmark judgment of the Supreme Court Bar Association vs. Union of India.

4. What is Accounting? Elucidate different types of accounts and the golden principles of accounting with examples.

II. Answer any two: **2 X 5**

1. What is the significance of accountancy in the legal profession?

2. Write a short note on 'Journal'.

3. 'A' the complainant and his wife 'B' were assaulted. They filed a criminal case against the accused. Advocate 'C' was representing the accused. However, during the pendency of the case, 'C' approached the complainant and promised that he would get a favorable report if he is

engaged as a counsel. Whether switching side in a criminal case by 'C' amounts to professional misconduct? Discuss.