

CLAT Legal Aptitude Questions

Sample Question: 1

Principle: Whoever intends to take dishonestly (with an intention to cause wrongful loss to another or wrongful gain to himself) any movable property out of the possession of any person without that person's consent moves that property in order to such taking is said to commit theft.

Fact: A handed over his watch to B for safekeeping. B sells the watch to C, which he was not authorized to do. B is prosecuted for theft.

1. a) B is guilty of theft because he gained from it
2. b) B is not guilty of theft because he was in possession of the watch
3. c) B is not guilty of theft because A had given him the watch
4. d) B is guilty of theft because he caused wrongful loss to A

Now, to solve this question you need to apply the approach of Principle Fact and then again Principle (PFP).

Tips to solve the above CLAT Legal Aptitude question -

- First, read the principle carefully and then read the facts without looking at the answer choices.
- Read the principle again and then solve the question accordingly.
- Here, on the plain reading of the principle, it looks like B has committed theft; however, if you read the principle again, you will understand that theft is when something is taken out of the possession without that person's consent.
- But here, the property was in possession of B, so the case is of breach of trust rather than theft where A gave the property to B, and he misappropriated it.
- So, options (a) and (d) can be automatically eliminated.
- Choosing between (b) and (c) the appropriate option will be (b) because it applies the principle above.

Sample Question: 2

Questions- The idea of the Federal structure of government in our Constitution was incorporated from which Constitution?

1. Irish Constitution
2. American Constitution
3. British Constitution
4. Both a and c

Therefore, the **Answer is 2**

Explanation: A federal system of governance is one that divides the powers of government between the union government and state governments. The Constitution of the United States established the federal system, and it is also known as federalism.