## SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY

## Programme & Subject: BA LLB

**Semester: VIII** 

Syllabus with Effect from: June - 2012

Paper Code: IL - 802	Total Cradita
Title Of Paper: Interpretation of Statutes & Principles of Legislation	Total Credit:

Unit	Description in Detail	Weightage (%)
I	Introduction	
	Drafting Process of legislation	
	Five Stages suggested by Thorton	
	Meaning of Statues	
	Classification of Statutes	
II	Meaning of Interpretation & its basic Principle	
	Intention of the legislation	
	Statute must be read a whole	
	Interpretation must be effective and workable	
	Plain meaning must be given effect	
	Construction should be in accordance with the policy and object of statutes	
III	Guiding rules of Interpretation	
	Language to be read as it is	
	Rule of literal interpretation	
	Regard to subject and object	
	Regard to consequence	
IV	Internal aids to construction	
V	External aids to construction	
VI	Subsidiary of statutes	
VII	Operation of statutes	
VIII	Expiry and repeal of statutes	
IX	Interpretation of Delegated legislation, taxing, penal remedial statutes	
X	Interpretation of constitution, judicial precedents and interpretation	

## **Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

Theory of Legislation Interpretation of Statutes, etc.
Interpretation of Statutes
K. Sreedhara Varier
P.D. Srivastava

Principles of Interpretation
Interpretation of Statues
N. S. Bindra

Principal of Statuary Interpretation
Justice G. P. Singh

