

### Clarification/Explanation PTS 2023 Simulator 0

**There are no changes to the solution/answers. Some extra explanations have been provided for the students who have raised doubts.**

**Q.49)** A doubt was raised with respect to the meaning of ex parte order in the context of Indian Judiciary.

**Explanation-** Under Order 9 Rule 6 of the CPC, the court has the jurisdiction to pass an ex parte order. The order states that if the defendant does not appear before the court despite having a summons served to him, the court can pass an ex parte decree. It is granted in favour of one party and is an exception to the basic rule of court procedure where both parties must be present. The party i.e., present will file for such an order before the court and if the court is satisfied it would pass an ex parte order. Thus, based on the options given in the question the most suitable meaning of the phrase would be an order granted at the request of one party only.

**Q.81)** A doubt was raised with respect to Option d i.e. "After the arrest of home rule league leader Annie Besant, S. Subramania Aiyar renounced his knighthood."

**Explanation-** The statement is correct. There may be a number of reasons why S Subramania Iyer renounced his Knighthood. Some of the reasons were-

- Government of Madras in June 1917 came with the decision to place Mrs. Besant and her associates, under arrest.
- Also, around the same time in 1917, Iyer was criticised by Viceroy Chelmsford for writing a letter to US President detailing misrule in India.

These were few of the reason why S Subramania Iyer renounced his Knighthood.

**Note:** Earlier there was a mistake in Q.33, the correct answer was **Option d**. The error was rectified the same day and the paper of all the students have been evaluated based upon the correct answer. Also, the main file was updated the same day. Students are requested to download the solution pdf again.