

UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO, SRI LANKA
FACULTY OF LAW
BACHELOR OF LAWS DEGREE YEAR II (OLD SYLLUBUS) – 2023/2024
LAW OF CONTRACT
CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT - I
(15 Marks)

Question:

‘Rules pertaining to a valid offer requires a clear demarcation between invitation to treat and offer.’

You are expected to select two subject areas of your choice and critically examine the above statement in light of relevant statutory authorities.

Instructions

- 1) This is a take-home, individual, and written assignment.
- 2) Referencing style : OSCOLA
- 3) The word limit for the assignment shall not exceed **1500 words**, excluding footnotes and bibliography. The word count must be written on the cover page of the assignment.
- 4) The font type, size, and line spacing for the assignment are as follows; Font type: Times New Roman/Iskoola Potha/Kalaham , Font size: 12, Line spacing: 1.5.
- 5) Candidates will be penalized for plagiarism. Plagiarism includes the wrongful appropriation of another’s concepts, ideas, words, expressions, explanations, expressed thoughts, and style of writing. Paraphrasing another person’s expressions unaccompanied by a source or reference will also be considered plagiarism. Plagiarism is an examination offence.
- 6) The due date for the assignment is **12th November 2024**.
- 7) Mode of submission : Email to the Exam Unit
- 8) E-mail ID for submission : exam@law.cmb.ac.lk (The subject line of the e- mail should be in the format of (NAME)_(STUDENT REGISTRATION NUMBER)_(LAW OF CONTRACT)_(ASSIGNMENT I))

Intended Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the assessment, candidates will be able to:

- Identify and summarize the differences between an offer and invitation to treat;
- Evaluate the application of the law relating to offer and invitation to treat;
- Develop skills in prioritizing arguments and legal writing.

Marking Guidelines for the assignment:

No.	Criteria	Marks Allocated
1.	Demonstrating an understanding on key legal issues	4
2.	Summary of key arguments/issues/conclusions	3
3.	Evaluation of reasoning and evidence	6
4.	Adhering to the formatting requirements	2
	Total	15

Law of Contract Course Team
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