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## **LECTURE TWO**

## **Necessary Contents of A Plaint**

A plaint is a legal document that contains a lot of necessary contents in the absence of which, it cannot be considered as a plaint. The contents necessary for a plaint are mentioned in Rules 1 to 8 of Order VII of CPC. These are mentioned below:

- Plaint should contain the name of the commercial or civil court where a suit will be initiated.
- Plaint should contain details of the plaintiff such as the name, address, and description.
- Plaint should contain the name, residence, and description of the defendant.
- When a plaintiff has some defects or problems in health or any type of disability, the Plaint should contain a statement of these effects.
- Plaint should contain the facts due to which cause of action arises and where the cause of action arises it should also be mentioned.
- Plaint should not only mention facts due to which cause of action arises but also those facts which help in recognizing the jurisdiction.
- Plaint should also contain about that relief which the plaintiff seeks from the court.
- When the plaintiff is ready to set off a portion of his claim, the Plaint should contain that amount which has been so allowed.
- Plaint should contain a statement of the value of the subject-matter of suit not only for the purpose of jurisdiction but also for the purpose of court-fees.
- At last, the content that should be on plaint is the plaintiff verification on oath.

This shows that the plaint is a necessary component for the successful initiation of suits in commercial or civil courts and plays a very important role throughout the suit. Some additional particulars which were not mentioned above include the following: Plaintiff shall state the exact amount of money to be obtained from the defendant as given under <u>Rule 2 of order VII</u> whereas <u>Rule 3 of order VII</u> of CPC states that when the plaint contains subject matter of immovable property, then the property must be duly described.

## **Multiple Choice Questions-**

i.A	notice is a formal written communication between the parties
a.	Action
b.	Legal
c.	Statutory
d.	Written
ii	means 'before being legal', this notice is sent to the parties before sending them
the legal notice. It is a kind of personal communication between parties.	
	Pro bono
	Para legal
	Post legal
d.	Pre legal notice
Iii.which one of the following is NOT an essential for leagl notice	
a.	name and address of the sender
b.	signature and stamp of the Advocate who is sending the legal notice
c.	cause of reaction
d.	none of above
iv.The	sends a legal notice to communicate his grievances and to seek appropriate remedy.
a.	Bailee
b.	Sender
c.	Receiver
d.	None of the above
v.Who	can affirm an affidavit?
a.	Executive officer
	Admisnistrative officer
	gazetted officer
d.	judicial officer