



# **FACULTY OF JURIDICAL SCIENCES**

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# Lecture-1



## LECTURE 1: Disqualification

25. Murderer disqualified A person who commits murder or abets the commission of murder shall be disqualified from inheriting the property of the person murdered, or any other property in furtherance of the succession to which he or she committed or abetted the commission of the murder.

COMMENTS Even though conviction is within the meaning of s. 304 IPC there is a bar for the person convicted and he would be disentitled to inherit.-Biro v. Banta Singh AIR 1980 Punj 164 26.

Convert's descendants disqualified Where, before or after the commencement of this Act, a Hindu has ceased or ceases to be Hindu by conversion to another religion, children born to him or her after such conversion and their descendants shall be disqualified from inheriting the property of any of their Hindu relatives, unless such children or descendants are Hindus at the time when the succession opens.

27 Succession when heir disqualified If any person is disqualified from inheriting any property under this Act, it shall devolve as if such person had died before the intestate.

28 Disease, defect etc. not to disqualify No person shall be disqualified from succeeding to any property on the ground of any disease, defects or deformity, or save as provided in this Act, on any other ground whatsoever.

## SELF-TEST QUESTIONS

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**Answers: 1-(),2-(), 3-(),4-(),5-()**