SUBJECT EQUITY AND SPECIFIC RELIEF ACT

TOPIC. QUIZ

TOTAL MARKS. (5)

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The maxim “Equity looks to the intention rather than form” means:

A. Courts only follow written documents strictly

B. Courts focus on the real purpose behind an act

C. Law ignores agreements without formalities

D. Only statutory law is applicable

Which of the following best reflects this maxim? A. A contract is void if not written

B. A trust is invalid without registration

C. Equity enforces the true intention even if form is defective

D. Legal rights override fairness

This maxim is mainly applied in: A. Criminal law

B. Equity and trust law

C. Constitutional law

D. Tax law

Short Answer Questions

(2 MARKS)

Explain the meaning of the maxim “Equity looks to the intention rather than form” in your own words.

Give one example where a court applies this maxim to achieve justice.