# FACULDADE DE DIREITO DA UNIVERSIDADE DE LISBOA MESTRADO EM DIREITO E PRÁTICA JURÍDICA UNITED NATIONS LAW

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## I

## Cases

a)

- Security Council competence under Chapter VII of the UN Charter;
- The sanctions regime established by resolution 1988 (2011) concept; competence; amendments, in particular, exemptions and the obligation to conduct periodic and regular revisions;
- The concept of humanitarian assistance; main principles; the rule of consent and its limits;
- Competence to adopt humanitarian exemptions to the sanctions regime;
- Security Council voting procedure, particularly, Permanent Members' abstentions on non-procedural questions; declarations' value;
- The principle of non-interference in internal affairs: concept and limits;
- Reference to case-law;
- Position regarding the French declaration;
- Position regarding Afghans' protests.

b)

- Regional agreements under the UN Charter;
- Peacekeeping forces: concept; principles; legal basis; mandate; UN Security
   Council's and General Assembly's competence;
- Terrorism under the Un Charter;
- Position regarding the deploy of the Collective Security Treaty Organization's "peace keeping forces" to Kazakhstan;
- International Court of Justice's jurisdiction; advisory opinions' jurisdiction; distinction between requests made by the Security Council and the General

Assembly and requests made by UN organs and specialized agencies authorized by the General Assembly;

- Reference to case-law;
- Position regarding the request.

II

# **Comment the following statement:**

- UN Charter provisions on Human rights;
- UN main organs' competence regarding Human rights;
- UN specialized agencies;
- Development of International Human rights norms;
- The International Bill of Human Rights and Human Rights principles;
- Human Rights machinery: Commission on Human Rights and its replacement by the Human Rights Council; Human Rights treaty bodies; the Office of High Commissioner for Human Rights;
- Development and sustainable development goals;
- Strategies for dealing with gross violations of Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law, in particular, *ad hoc* Courts and the responsibility to protect.

Duration: 90m

I-14 (7+7); II-5; writing and systematization -1.