### Module Title

**Law of Business and Carriage**

### Class-Contact Hours

45 hours

### Module Value

0.75

### Module Rationale/Aims

To provide students with a basic knowledge of the core elements of Business Law, together with a general understanding of the legal environment of transportation.

### Pre-requisites/Co-requisites

None

### Learning Objectives

To enable students to

- describe the legal concepts of forming a contract, performing a contract and the remedies available in the event of a breach of contract
- outline the law relating to contracts for the sale of goods and contracts of agency
- explain the tort of negligence and its importance
- understand the principles governing employment relationship
- evaluate different business vehicles
- define bills of exchange and cheques
- understand the law relating to different modes of transport
- describe the relationship between the goods owner and the carrier
- explain the liability of the carrier for damage or loss to cargo