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8.1 Introduction :

Criminal investigation is an ancient science that may have roots as far back as 1700 BCE within the writings of the Code of Hammurabi.



8.1.1 Ancient Criminal Justice System :

It is alleged that the primary written codes of law were by the Sumerians circa in 2100-2050 BC. The primary signs of a distinction between civil and criminal law came throughout

the Norman Invasion of England. The thought of State Dispensing Justice in a very court setting emerged solely in the eighteenth Century. Europe began to use the Police system, so found out the mechanisms enforced for delivery justice.

8.1.2 Evolution of Criminal Justice System in India :

Manu Smriti has clear indications of the importance of grueling the bad person. Further, with the Mughals ruling over India, there was a necessity to bring the offender before the King who was the author of all choices and his word was thought-about final. Law was accustomed decide what penalty would be pronounced on the offender.

- **Between 1765 and 1772 :**

The zamindars of Bihar were expected to take care of the workers together with thanedars for law and order, duties and for maintaining peace, further as coping with crime and criminals.

- **In 1775 :**

Faujdar thanas were established within the major cities of huge districts and were power-assisted by many smaller police stations.

- **In 1791 :**

Cornwallis organized an everyday constabulary to take care of law and order by modernizing the previous Indian system of thanas (circles) in a district below a daroga (an Indian) and a superintendent of police (SP) at the top of a locality.

- **In 1861, The Police Act :**

This act was passed to re-organize the police and to make it a more efficient instrument for the interference and detection of crime.

- **In 1882 :**

The Code of Criminal Procedure commonly called as CrPC was created for the first time ever and then amended in 1898, then according to the 41st Law Commission report in 1973. It



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