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## **Constitution of India Art 11 - Parliament to regulate the right of citizenship by law**

**Nothing in the foregoing provisions of this Part shall derogate from the power of Parliament to make any provision with respect to the acquisition and termination of citizenship and all other matters relating to citizenship.**

### **NOTE**

The Citizenship Act, 1955 (Act 57 of 1995) is enacted pursuant of this provision.

**Object of Fundamental Rights:** The fundamental rights represent the basic values enriched by the people of India. The object is to ensure the inviolability of certain essential rights against political vicissitudes.<sup>^1</sup>

**Nature of Fundamental Rights:** Fundamental rights conferred by Part III are not distinct and mutually exclusive.<sup>^2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Siddharam Satlingappa Mhetre v. State of Maharashtra, (2011) 1 SCC 694 cited in Sankaranarayanan 2017

<sup>2</sup> Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India, (1978) 1 SCC 248 cited in Sankaranarayanan 2017