

Section 19

AL-KUKLLIYAAT AL-KHAMSAH (THE FIVE UNIVERSAL CONCEPTS)

كليات خمس: الف) نوع (ب)جنس (ج)فصل (د) العرض الخاص (ه)العرض العام

- 1) **Nau'** (species): the universal concept whose members are akin in their essence (*Haqeeqah*) and it's the complete essence of all the members; e.g. human.
- 2) **Jins** (genus): the universal concept whose members differ in their reality and it is a part of their reality; e.g. animal.
- 3) **Fasl** (differentia): the universal concept whose members are akin in their reality and it is a part of their reality; e.g. rational, which is a part of the reality of human and human beings are akin in their reality.
- 4) **Al-'Ard al-Khass** (particular accident): the universal concept which is outside a reality but peculiar to it; such as laughing (in relation) to human.
- 5) **Al-'Ard al-'Amm** (common accident): the universal concept which is outside a reality and not peculiar to it; such as walking (in relation) to human.