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SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

PHIL 104: PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIETY

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) ODEL

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE:WEDNESDAY 21 /07/ 2021

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question one and any other Two Questions.
- 1. (a) Define what philosophy is and explain in detail why it rejects myths, dogmas and received opinions. [10]

Marks]

(b) Name three branches of Philosophy and explain what the relevance of each branch to the society is. [10]

Marks]

(c) What questions does Epistemology address? Explain the difference between subjective and objective truth. [10]

Marks]

- 2. Give ten reasons why the study of Philosophy is important in academics and in the life of members of the society. [20 Marks]
- 3. What is the meaning of the principle of lesser evil? Give an example of a situation in the society which involves a need to choose the lesser evil and show what choice you will make and justify why. [20 Marks]
- 4. Define what Logic is and explain the meaning of deductive and inductive reasoning.

 [20 Marks]

5.	Define the nature scope and relevance of metaphysics.	[20 Marks]