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RESIT/SPECIAL EXAMINATION**

**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN  
PHILOSOPHY**

**PHIL 231: MORAL/FUNDAMENTAL ETHICS**

**STREAMS: B.A PHILOSOPHY**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 29/08/2023**

**2.30 P.M – 4.30 P.M.**

**INTRUCTIONS**

- **Attempt question 1 and any other two from the ones given.**

1. (i) Define what morality is and explain four sources of morality. (10marks)  
(ii) Morality can be objective or subjective. With examples critically elaborate on this assertion. (10 marks)  
(iii) Critically argue why we need morality in the society, give examples in support of your views. (10 marks)
  2. 'An action can be legal but not morally right and also an action can be illegal but morally right'. With examples critically expound on this statement. (20 marks)
  3. Morality and Religion agree but also disagree on some issues, meaning that something that morality and religion are two different issues. Critically discuss this statement. (20 marks)
  4. Define what law is and how it differs with a moral standard, also state and explain giving examples four sources of law. (20 marks)
  5. Define what a code of Ethics and explain in detail providing examples why its important to have a code of ethics in every profession. (20 marks)
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