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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

PHIL 104: PHILOSOPHY & SOCIETY

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) SB

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 11/4/2018

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

1. (a) State and briefly explain any two presuppositions of the definition of wisdom as “the ability to order things according to purpose”. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss the philosophical implications of the principle of non-contradiction. [10 marks]
- (c) How would you answer those thinkers who demand for demonstration of the principle of non-contradiction? [10 marks]
2. Taking into account God’s attributes of benevolence, omnipotence and omniscience, explain whether God could have created some people with condemnation from alleternity to go to hell. [20 marks]
3. Discuss the claim that “it is the good man who knows best about goodness for the man of good character judges every situation rightly” [20 marks]
4. Distinguish and critically examine teleological and deontological theories of ethics, using appropriate examples. [20 marks]
5. Immanuel Kant asked whether a person does wrong if he or she is bitten by a rabid dog, is incurable and kills himself or herself to avoid harming others should a delirious condition occur. What would be your answer to Kant’s question. Explain your answer. [20 marks]
6. Discuss the relation between body and soul in man.