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

RELI 161: RELIGION AND ETHICS IN SOCIETY

STREAMS: BED (ARTS)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 14/04/2020

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer All the Questions in Section A and any other Two in Section B

SECTION A

1. Explain the main categories of definitions of religion. [8 marks]
2. Giving examples, differentiate between the following terms:
 - (a) Rights and responsibilities [7 marks]
 - (b) Normative ethics and descriptive ethics [8 marks]
 - (c) Cognitive and behavioral aspects of morality [7 marks]

SECTION B

3. Critically, discuss the role of religion in influencing ethical orientation in the society. [20 marks]
4. The church and state should work together for the welfare of the society. Discuss this statement showing the areas of dialogue between the church and the state. [20 marks]
5. Discuss the following contemporary ethical issues citing religious response to each. [20 marks]
 - (a) Corruption
 - (b) Abortion