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

RELI 406: PSYCHOLOGY OF RELIGION

STREAMS: B.ED (ARTS) - PART/TIME

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 08/04/2025

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**Section one answer two question. Each question carries 15 marks. COMPULSORY**

- 1. a) Briefly explain Sigmund Freud’s view on religion and its psychological significance. (15 marks)
- b) How does religion influence human behavior in contemporary society? (15 marks)

**Section B two: Answer any two questions; each question carries 20 marks.**

- 2. What is the relationship between psychology and religion in understanding human behavior. (20 marks)
- 3. Discuss the role of Mysticism, faith, and religious conversion in shaping an individual’s psychological growth and commitment. (20 marks)
- 4. Explain how logotherapy and psychotherapy contribute to human well-being, with examples of their application in religious settings. (20 marks)
- 5. Analyze the impact of personality theories on human development and their connection to religious beliefs and practices. (20 marks)

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