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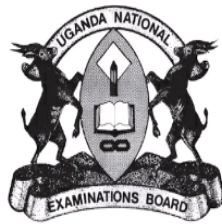
CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

(Christian Approaches to Social and Ethical Issues)

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

This paper consists of three sections; I, II, and III.

Answer any four questions taken from any two sections.

All questions carry equal marks.

Any additional question(s) answered will not be marked.

SECTION I

SEX, MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY

1. "Prostitutes are made but not born."
 - (a) Discuss this statement.
 - (b) As a Christian discuss the view that prostitution should be legalized in Uganda.
 - (a) Examine the aspects of courtship that a young person should consider before he or she gets married.
 - (b) What advice did St. Paul offer on marriage?
2. (a) How were the question of celibacy or unmarried people handled in traditional Africa.
 - (b) Examine the guidelines the Bible gives about remaining unmarried or getting married.
4. (a) Assess the attitudes of men towards women in the traditional African families.
 - (b) As a Christian, suggest the ideal relationship between men and women in the family.

SECTION II

WORK, LEISURE AND MONEY

5. (a) "Capitalism has widened the gap between the rich and the poor". Discuss.
 - (b) To what extent should capitalism be encouraged among Christians.
6. Reverend Okello decided that the only way to avoid Sin was to avoid leisure activities. Consequently, he chose to keep his people in church for the whole Sunday. As a Christian comment on the Reverend's decision.
7. (a) Discuss the Old Testament teaching on the poor and the needy.
 - (b) Explain the Christian attitude towards the poor and the needy.
8. (a) Examine factors that determine a just wage in any given country.
 - (b) What guidelines does the Bible give on a just wage?

SECTION III

LAW AND ORDER

9. After a high court judge found eight suspects guilty of their offences, they were executed.

(a) Analyse factors that may justify punishment by execution.

(b) Examine the Christian view on execution.

10. "Politics is the art of government". (Collins English Dictionary. Pg. 394).

(a) Why do some people call it a dirty game?

(b) Should Christians directly participate in politics? Explain your answer.

(a) Discuss factors that often lead to dictatorial regimes.

(b) Suggest ways in which Christians can solve such problems.

11. (a) Examine forms of social discrimination found in independent African states.

(b) Discuss ways in which the church can overcome this problem.

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