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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

1. "Women should not have equal opportunities with men in Uganda." As a student of CRE, discuss the validity of this statement.
2. (a) Comment on the role played by bride -wealth in traditional African marriages.
(b) To what extent can Christians justify bride-wealth in marriage?
3. (a) Discuss the grounds on which traditional African society permitted divorce.
(b) Examine the Christian view on divorce.
4. (a) "Being a responsible parent means more than just producing children". Comment on this statement.
(b) What evidence of responsible parenthood is there in the Bible.

SECTION II

5. (a) Analyse the factors which a youth should consider when choosing a vocation (career).
(b) As a Christian, what advice would you give to the youths who endlessly roam in towns claiming to be unemployed?
6. (a) Examine the reasons given for and against Euthanasia (mercy killing).
(b) What is the Christian stand on this issue?
7. (a) Justify the view that Leisure in traditional African society was basically for community development.
(b) Compare the traditional African understanding of leisure with the Biblical understanding.
8. (a) Examine the causes of gambling in Uganda today.
(b) Discuss the Christian attitude to this practice.

SECTION III

9. (a) Discuss the purpose of the Law in a modern society like Uganda.

(b) To what extent should a Christian respect the Law?

10. The Bible says that God is the judge and justice belongs to him.

(a) As a student of C.R.E, justify the punishment of criminals in light of the above statement.

(b) Examine the authority of a state to impose capital punishment.

11. "A good relationship between the church and the state is vital for peace and development. "Comment on this statement with reference to Uganda.

12. As a Christian, assess strikes and boycotts as ways of achieving justice.

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