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II Semester M.A./M.Sc./M.Com. Degree (Reg./Sup./Imp.)

Examination, March 2015

PHILOSOPHY

(2014 Admn. Onwards)

PHI2C08 – Practical Ethics

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

- Instructions: 1) Part A: Answer any one question. Answers should not exceed 800 words. Each answer carries 15 marks.
 - Part B: Answer any three questions. Answers should not exceed 400 words. Each answer carries 10 marks.
 - Part C: Answer any three questions. Answers should not exceed 200 words. Each answer carries 5 marks.

PART-A

Answer any one question. Answers should not exceed 800 words. Each answer carries 15 marks.

- Give an exposition of the four principles of medical ethics.
- Discuss feminist ethics highlighting feminism as an ethics of gender. (1x15=15)

PART-B

Answer any three questions. Answers should not exceed 400 words. Each answer carries 10 marks.

- Discuss the problem 'Why act morally' ?
- Elucidate the meaning and types of euthanasia.
- 5. Discuss the ethical issues involved in genetic engineering.
- 6. Write a note on land ethics.
- 7. What is meant by 'digital divide' ? Explain.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$



PART-C

Answer any three questions. Answer should not exceed 200 words. Each answer carries 5 marks.

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- 8. Discuss the nature of applied ethics.
- 9. Write a note on the moral status of the foetus.
- 10. Discuss biocentric equality.
- 11. Distinguish between sex and gender.
- 12. Elucidate the concept of information overload.

 $(3 \times 5 = 15)$