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**First Semester M.A. Degree (CBSS – Supple. (One Time Mercy Chance)/Imp.)
Examination, October 2023
(2014 to 2022 Admissions)
PHILOSOPHY
PHI 1C04 – Moral Philosophy**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

PART – A

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

1. 'According to Kant, the moral law is innate and apriori'. – Explain this statement analysing the features of categorical imperative.

2. Examine the important theories of punishment.

(1×15=15)

PART – B

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

3. 'Rights and duties are correlative.' – Elucidate this statement.

4. Discuss ethical emotivism advocated by A.J. Ayer.

5. Examine the importance of utilitarianism of J.S. Mill.

6. Distinguish between normative ethics and meta ethics.

7. Discuss the nature of ethics.

(3×10=30)

PART – C

Answer **any three** questions. Answers should **not** exceed **150** words. **Each** answer carries **5** marks.

8. What is meant by consequentialism in ethics ? Explain briefly.

9. Give an account of John Rawl's distributive justice.

10. Examine the importance of applied ethics.

11. Distinguish between cognitivism and non-cognitivism.

12. Discuss the relation between duty and virtue.

(3×5=15)