

# LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034

## M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - PHILOSOPHY

# THIRD SEMESTER – **NOVEMBER 2022 PPL 3504 – MORAL PHILOSOPHY**

Date: 05-12-2022 Dept. No. Max.: 100 Marks

Time: 09:30 AM - 12:30 PM

## **PART-A**

## Answer the following

(6X6=36 Marks)

- 1. Illustrate non-moral and moral issues. What makes an issue a moral issue?
- 2. Show the interrelation among moral experience, consciousness and knowledge. Mention any three immediate data of moral consciousness.
- 3. Illustrate the principles applicable in three types of conflict situations.
- 4. Write a short note on *Varna* dharma.
- 5. What is Business Ethics? Mention some of the socially desirable and undesirable business activities?
- 6. Discuss the moral implications of Invitro Fertilization.

### **PART-B**

## Answer the following

(4X16=64 Marks)

- 7A. i) Distinguish between an *Act of Man* and *Human Act*. Highlight the three properties of a human act.
  - ii) Establish immediate ontological foundation of the moral order.

#### OR

- 7B. Critically evaluate the Utilitarianism of John Stuart Mill.
- 8A. Expound the moral theory of Aristotle.

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- 8B. Critically assess the Moral Positivism of Emilé Durkheim.
- 9A. Analyse the ethical theory propounded by Thomas Hobbes.

### OR

- 9B. What is a *Purusārtha*? Discuss in detail.
- 10A. Discuss how *Dharma* forms the foundation of Hindu way of life.

#### OR

10B. Does *Karma* theory offer scope for freedom and moral growth? Discuss.

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