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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

REGULAR PROGRAMME

B-PHL 201: RATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

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Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and ANY OTHER TWO Questions

- Q1. a) Understanding Rational Psychology is paramount and core in an investigation of the human person. Define what it is in not more than 30 words. **(7 marks)**
- b) After Aristotle's definition of man was objectified and universalized to "All men are rational animals" a distinction was given to human beings uniquely from other different souls. Discuss. **(23 marks)**

SECTION B:

- Q2. Whenever we investigate the soul we come across the principle of proportionality in relation to the hierarchy of beings. With the support of the concept of life, touch on:
- a) Vital interpretation;
 - b) Difference between man and brutes
 - c) Man in relation to God. **(20 marks)**

OR

- Q3. The basic unification of man in his faculties lies in his intellectual soul, his conscious and his conscience. Analyze. **(20 marks)**

SECTION C

- Q4. a) Define and give the difference between:
i) Conscious and conscience
ii) Freedom and will **(10 marks)**
- b) Some brutes demonstrate a “level of intelligence”. Substantiate. **(10 marks)**

OR

- Q5. Man possesses two types of senses, “Internal” and “External”. Give their relevance of human judgment and knowledge. **(20 marks)**

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