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DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY
2024_2 EXAMINATION

Course Code: PHL 305

Course Title: Advance Political Philosophy

Credit Unit: 2

Time Allowed: 2hrs

Instruction: Answer Any Three Questions (All Questions carry equal marks of 23.33%)

1. (a) Discuss the notion of the State in Jean-Jacques Rousseau political philosophy? **12.33 marks**

(b) Critically attempt a defense of the notion of Civil disobedience? **11 marks**

Total 23.33 marks

2. (a) Critically discuss the notion of Capital punishment in Jeremy Bentham's philosophy? **11.33 marks**

(b) Critically evaluate the concept of utilitarianism in Bentham? **12 marks**

Total 23.33 marks

3. (a) Distinguish between direct and indirect democracy? **13.33marks**

(b) Carefully discuss the core goal of political philosophy? **10 marks**

Total 23.33 marks

4. (a) Evaluate the core tenet of liberal democracy? **11 marks**

(b) Attempt a critique of the concept of libertarianism? **12.33 marks**

Total 23.33 marks