STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2011-12)

SUBJECT CODE: 11HS/MC/HR54

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2013 BRANCH I A – HISTORY AND TOURISM FIFTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE PAPER : HUMAN RIGHTS

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS:100

SECTION-A

I. ANSWER ALL OUESTIONS IN 30 WORDS EACH. (10X3=30)

- 1. Magna Carta
- 2. Eleanor Roosevelt
- 3. Social rights
- 4. International Labour Organization
- 5. Investigative journalism
- 6. African National Congress
- 7. March on Washington
- 8. Juveniles
- 9. Right to strike
- 10. Police encounters

SECTION-B

II. ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN 300 WORDS EACH. (5X8=40)

- Detail the provisions of the International Covenant on economic, Social and Cultural Rights
- 12. State the importance of Optional Protocols
- 13. Write a note on the mandate and the work of Amnesty International
- 14. Assess the work of State Human Rights Commissions
- 15. Examine the roots and manifestation of Anti- Semitism
- 16. Point out the significance of Directive Principles of State Policy
- 17. Examine the status of the rights of minorities in India
- 18. Analyse the linkages between cultural practices and human rights

SECTION-C

III. ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN 1000 WORDS EACH.

(3X10=30)

- 19. a) Examine the significance and the impact of Universal Declaration of Human rights OR
 - b) Evaluate the work of National Human rights Commission
- 20. a) Examine the reasons for the violation of human rights in India

OR

- b) Discuss the fundamental rights incorporated in the Indian constitution
- 21. a) Write an essay on CEDAW

OR

b) Critically analyse the reasons for the poor enforcement of human rights in India
