STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2004 – 2005)

SUBJECT CODE: HS/MC/HR64

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2007 BRANCH I - HISTORY SIXTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE PAPER : HUMAN RIGHTS

TIME : 3 HOURS. MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ANY TEN QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 30 WORDS: (10 x 3=30)

- 1. What is a Convention?
- 2. Expand CEDAW, UNFDAC, PIL.
- 3. Match the following:
 - (i) Trafficking in Human Beings Article 21
 (ii) Right to life, liberty & personal security Article 14
 (iii) Equal right opportunities Article 23
- 4. List the Economic, Social and Cultural rights.
- 5. List the permanent member of the Security Council.
- 6. How many articles, parts and schedules does the constitution of India contain?
- 7. What is the punishment for a dowry death cases in India?
- 8. Define the term minorities
- 9. Mention 3 achievements of ILO.
- 10. What are optional protocols?
- 11. List 3 duties of citizens under the criminal procedure code.
- 12. What trials were held in Nuremberg?
- 13. Article 19 guarantees 6 fundamental freedom. What are they?

SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY EIGHT QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS: (8 x 5=40)

- 14. Differentiate between 1st generation, 2nd generation & 3rd generation rights.
- 15. What are the rights of the juveniles?
- 16. Define Domestic violence. Describe the various focus of violence included in the Act.
- 17. What is FIR? What are the contents of an FIR?
- 18. Suggest measures to make the right to education a reality.
- 19. What is meant by the right to information?
- 20. Explain (a) Cognizable offence
 - (b) Bailable offence.
- 21. The 1959 Declaration on the right of the child has 10 points. What are they?
- 22. Write briefly on Yad Vashem.

SECTION - C

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 800 WORDS: (3 x 10=30)

23. Write a note on the right to vote.

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- "Sexual harrasssment at the workplace is violative of fundamental rights of working women". How does the Bill protect the working women?
- 24. What are the Duties and Functions of the NHRC?

(OR)

- "The right to live is not restricted to mere animal existence". Explain.
- 25. Define trafficking in persons. Critically review provisions under the Immoral Traffic Prevention Act.

(OR)

"Human Rights violations exist in India". Do you agree? Justify your answer with suitable examples.
