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

SUBJECT CODE: SW/MC/WD64

B.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2010 SOCIAL WORK SIXTH SEMESTER

COURSE: MAJOR-CORE

PAPER : WOMEN & SOCIETY - ISSUES AND CONCERNS

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS: (10x3=30)

- 1. What is Patriarchy?
- 2. What is gender stereotype?
- 3. What is empowerment?
- 4. Write the Concept of Feminism.
- 5. List out any two major problems faced by the widows in India.
- 6. Expand CEDAW.
- 7. What is foeticide?
- 8. What do you mean by the term homicide?
- 9. What is feminization of poverty?
- 10. What do you mean by the term "Right"?

SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS: (5x6=30)

- 11. Briefly discuss about the positive indices of Women's Development
- 12. Write a Short note on Domestic Violence Act 2005.
- 13. What are the ill effects of Dowry?
- 14. Write the salient features of Maternity Benefit Act.
- 15. Briefly discuss about the portrayal of women in Media.
- 16. Specify the contributions of women in the Development of the nation.
- 17. Highlight the impact of Patriarchy on women in the family.

SECTION - C

ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200WORDS: (2x20=40)

- 18. Discuss in detail about the problems and challenges of women in the country.
- 19. Elaborately discuss the contents of CEDAW.
- 20. Critically examine the government policies and programmes that are implemented for the development of women.
- 21. 'Execution of Women Reservation Bill is the positive sign of Women empowerment' Justify.
