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I SEMESTER (FYUGP/FYVP) DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER 2025
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)
BSW1FM105 : HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE
2024 Admission Onwards
(Credits: 3)

Time:1.5 Hours **Maximum Marks:50**

Section A

*Answer **All**. Each question carries **2** Marks.* ***(Ceiling: 16 Marks)***

1. How would you explain the relationship between social contract theory and human rights?
2. What is the significance of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR)?
3. Name any 2 theoretical framework of social justice.
4. What is the primary role of the National Commission for Women (NCW)?
5. What is meant by equity in the context of social justice?
6. List the values inherent in Human rights.
7. Write two differences between civil & political rights and economic, social and cultural rights.
8. Explain the main objectives of the human rights movement.
9. What are the key characteristics of primary settings in social work practice?
10. What are the main objectives of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR)?

Section B

*Answer **All**. Each question carries **6** Marks.* ***(Ceiling: 24 Marks)***

11. Compare and contrast the human rights challenges faced by different vulnerable groups.
12. Analyze the impact of CEDAW on gender equality policies in member states.
13. Assess the impact of globalization on marginalized communities.
14. Evaluate the effectiveness of the "International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination" in addressing systemic racism.
15. Apply your understanding of IPC, Cr. PC and CPC to explain how these laws would work together in a case involving both crime and property dispute.

Turn Over

Section C

*Answer **any one**. Each question carries **10** Marks.* ***(1x10=10 Marks)***

16. Critically evaluate the role and effectiveness of statutory bodies such as NHRC, NCW, NCM, and National Commissions for SC/ST in promoting social justice in India.
17. Explain the relationship between economic inequality and social injustice.

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