PHILOSOPHY TRIPOS Part II

Monday 5 June 2006

9 to 12

Paper 10

POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY

Answer three questions only.

Write the number of the question at the beginning of each answer. If you are answering an either/or question, indicate the letter as well.

STATIONERY REQUIREMENTS 20 Page Answer Book x 1 Rough Work Pad

You may not start to read the questions

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question paper until instructed that you

may do so by the Invigilator

- 1 'The goal of feminism is gender equality.' Discuss.
- 2 Do liberal theorists have an impoverished view of community?
- 3 'Marx's theory of history is either implausible or not very distinctive.' Discuss.
- 4 Should women be allowed to sell their reproductive labour?
- 5 What, if anything, do we owe people who do not yet exist?
- 6 **Either** (a) What is the best argument for the Difference Principle?
 - **Or** (b) 'A hypothetical agreement is not worth the paper it is written on.' Is this a fair criticism of Rawls?
- 7 Should feminists demand the prohibition of pornography?
- 8 Does Marx's theory of alienation rely on an implausible conception of human nature?
- 9 What is multiculturalism, and can it be accommodated within liberal theory?
- 10 **Either** (*a*) 'There is no reason why a conception of social justice that applies at the domestic level should not also apply at the international level.' Discuss.
 - **Or** (b) Do citizens of affluent countries harm the global poor?

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