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AS GCE RELIGIOUS STUDIES
G572/01 Religious Ethics
QUESTION PAPER

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Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes

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1 (a) Explain how Utilitarians might approach euthanasia. 
(b) ‘Helping a terminally ill patient to die is morally wrong.’ Discuss.

2 (a) Explain why there are different ethical views about the status of the embryo.
(b) ‘Potential life should always be protected from harm.’ Discuss.

3 (a) Explain the main aims of Kant's ethical theory.
(b) ‘Kant's idea of universalisation does not work in practice.’ Discuss.

4 (a) Explain one religious ethical theory.
(b) ‘Morality is always dependent on God.’ Discuss.

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