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SCHOOL OF LAW
MAY/JUNE 2012 EXAMINATION

LAW242 HUMAN RIGHTS LAW 2

TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any 5 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Women's rights are human rights. Explain the links between women's rights and human rights and suggest ways of preventing violence against women if any.
2. The Convention on Children's rights has been described as the most ratified International human rights instruments, yet abuses of Children's rights are still rampant. Discuss.
3. Self determination is a continuing process and will endure as long as certain ethnic groups do not feel that they are part of the machinery of government by which decision affecting them are made and implemented. Discuss critically.
4. Describe the institutions for protection of Human Rights that you know.
5. According to endurance from the Republic of Wazobia, more than 100 persons were illegally detained, many of whom never reappeared and in general, the legal remedies were either not available or were ineffective. What do you know of "disappearance as a human rights issue".
6. Discuss the Rights of either (a) Refugees (b) Disabled Persons
7. Immunity clause is one of the impediments to the part of *Locus Standi*. Discuss critically with illustrations and referee to decided cases.

8. What are the problems of enforcements of fundamental human rights in Nigeria? Why and what remedies do you proffer?
9. Write an essay on the National Commission on Human Rights.