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EBS 363  
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GENDER AND WRITING  
1 HOUR 20 MINUTES

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12:40 PM – 2:00 PM

SECTION B  
[40 MARKS]

Answer any TWO questions from this section.  
Each essay should not exceed three pages.

1. Discuss the friendship between Aissatou and Ramatoulaye in *So Long a Letter*, showing the importance of this bonding to the characters. **20 marks**
2. Explain how the society that Aidoo and Bá present in their novels are patriarchal in nature. **20 marks**
3. With reference to *One Wife for One Man* and *So Long a Letter*, examine the different views the writers have about polygamy. **20 marks**
4. With reference to Aissatou in *So Long a Letter*, discuss the importance of education to this female character. **20 marks**