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SPATIAL PLANNING  
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**CENTRE: MAIN CAMPUS**

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**COURSE CODE: PSP 3413**

**COURSE TITLE: PLANNING FOR DEVOLVED GOVERNMENT**

**EXAM VENUE:**

**STREAM: SPATIAL PLANNING**

**DATE:**

**EXAM SESSION:**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

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**Instructions:**

- 1. Answer question 1 ( compulsory ) and ANY other 2 questions.**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

### **Question One**

- a) Discuss five reasons that led Kenyans to adopt the devolved system of government in the Kenyan Constitution 2010 (10 marks)
- b) Explain the functions of the following people within the devolved government structure
- i. County Governor (2 marks)
  - ii. County deputy governor (2 marks)
  - iii. Executive Committee Member (2 marks)
  - iv. County Secretary (2 marks)
  - v. Member of County Assembly (2 marks)
- c) Discuss five planning advantages and five planning disadvantages of the devolved government system as used in Kenya today (10 marks)

### **Question Two**

Opot has been selected to give a talk to members of a county assembly on possible ways of increasing country revenue. Help him identify the points to highlight (20 marks)

### **Question Three**

Identify and discuss some of the functions that have been devolved to the county government (20 marks)

### **Question Four**

Discuss the challenges encountered by planners in cross country planning (20 marks)

### **Question Five**

Reuben Owino has invited you to a seminar whose topic of discussion is “How County and National Government Development Arms relate at the devolved level”. Which points will you contribute during the seminar? (20 marks)