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COURSE CODE: DPS 103

COURSE TITLE: POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT IN AFRICA

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EXAM SESSION:

TIME:

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 booklet to the invigilator while the examination Room

1. (a) List five more direct voice accountability systems have been developed in some

African countries and elsewhere. (5marks)

(b) Briefly explain 6 Conditions for effective citizen voice initiatives (6marks)

(c) State 8 Conditions for effective responsiveness of local government (8marks)

(d) Briefly discuss two types of pre-colonial states in Africa (6marks)

(e) State five factors that helped in State Formation in pre-colonial Africa (5marks)

2. Discuss obstacles that prevent individuals from participation in political and societal processes (20marks)

3. Briefly explain the processes encouraging participation in political and societal processes (20 marks)

4. Outline learning processes that can be derived from singular examples of failed participatory approaches, e.g. in the fields of corruption control, health and governmental programmes (20 marks)

5. Briefly discuss factors motivating democratic decentralization in Africa since the mid-1970s(20marks)