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# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION

## FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MLS/APPLIED STATISICS/CS/MIC

**COURSE CODE: IRD 200** 

COURSE TITLE: STATE SOCIETY AND DEVELOPMENT

DATE:

20/12/2018

TIME: 9.00am -12.00 pm

### **INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

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#### IRD 200: STATE SOCIETY AND DEVELOPMENT

STREAM: AS,MLS,MIC, CS DURATION: 3HRS

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:-**

- Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions.
- Question ONE carries 30 Marks

#### **QUESTION ONE**

Three years ago (2015) United Nations developed the seventeen sustainable development goals to replace the Millennium Development Goals as blue print for developing countries.

- i. To what extent has Millennium Development Goals been achieved in Kenya. (10 marks)
- ii. Discuss any SIX of the sustainable development goals.

(10 marks)

iii. You have been appointed by the Government to head a task force that is investigating on the impact of corruption in the economy and strategies that may be put in place to curb the vice.

Write a report for presentation to the authorities concerned.(10 marks)

#### **QUESTION TWO**

a) Critiques of democracy argue that developing countries are not mature enough to embrace it. Highlighting the characteristics of democratic governments, discuss this statement. (10 marks) b) Using the Marxism theory, discuss the origin of states. (10 marks)

#### **QUESTION THREE**

A recent survey shows that while wealthy Kenyans are spending millions of shillings annually to educate their children in some of the best international schools in the country, millions of others are relying on the free primary education program from the government for their children education

- a) Discuss how the above form of inequality is likely to impact on national development (10 marks)
- b) Discuss any social stratification theory that explains the above situation (10 marks)

#### **QUESTION FOUR**

- a) Explain the gains Kenya has achieved from the implementation of the country's constitution of 2010. (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the functions of International Monetary Fund (IMF) in development of developing nations. (10 marks)

#### **QUETION FIVE**

- a) Examine the theories of state formation and indicate the extent to which they are applicable to today's quest for state formation (10marks)
- b). Examine why the Kenyan society is increasingly getting stratified and suggest measures the government can pursue to encourage social mobility. (10marks).

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