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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

REGULAR EXAMINATION

**FOR THE DEGREE OF
COMMON COURSES**

COURSE CODE:

SHUM 211

COURSE TITLE:

STATE, SOCIETY AND
DEVELOPMENT

DATE: 16TH DECEMBER, 2021

TIME: 8.00 AM - 11.00 AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

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UNIVERSITY OF ELDORET
SCHOOL OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF QS & DS
SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMS
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SHUM 211 STATE, SOCIETY AND DEVELOPMENT
MAIN EXAM

TIME: 3 Hours

DEC, 2021

Instructions to candidates: Answer question ONE and any other THREE Questions

QUESTION ONE (25Marks)-COMPULSORY

(a) Discuss why the Kenyan society is increasingly stratified and suggest measures the Government can take to encourage upward social mobility

(15 marks)

(b) Using relevant examples discuss the role of Government in influencing Development of a State

(10 marks)

SECTION B -ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

QUESTION TWO (15Marks)

(a) Power is necessary ingredient in development, Discuss this statement in relation to the influence of power in Africa's resource distributions

(10 marks)

(b) Briefly state the challenges in achieving National cohesion and integration in Kenya

(5 marks)

QUESTION THREE (15 MARKS).

(a) Explain the lessons learnt from modern day Nationalism (5 marks)

(b) For over several decades, Kenya has been dependent on foreign Aid as a source of financing National Development plans. Discuss the consequences of overreliance on Foreign Aid

(10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (15 MARKS).

- (a) Discuss five types of Governments Kenya has had since independence and their characteristics (10 marks)
- (b) Media plays a critical role in checks and balances in any state. Discuss the functions of media in a democratic state giving examples in Kenya (5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (15 MARKS).

- (a) Discuss the dimension of Globalization and how developing countries can protect themselves from unintended effects of globalization (10 marks)
- (b) Explain the objectives of Nationalism in the contemporary society (5 marks)

QUESTION SIX (15 MARKS).

- (a) Discuss the theories of state formation showing how important it has been in guarding the rights of its citizens (10 marks)
- (b) Highlight the major outlines of chapter six of Kenya's constitution on integrity of public officer's (5 marks)