



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
14/16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS
SCHOOL OF LAW
JUNE/JULY 2013 EXAMINATION**

COURSE CODE: LED 753

COURSE TITLE: DRAFTING PROCESS

TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTION: Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Describe various stages needed in the preparation of legislation?
2. Discuss those issues that are entailed in the appraisal of legislative proposals.
3. Discuss the checklist for policy analysis.
4. Describe the main steps at the drafting stage and what are the functions and benefits of legislative plan.
5. Precedents are considered as guide while drafting legislation. What dangers a drafter may face by strict observance of the precedents?
6. Discuss checklist on textual scrutiny and checks for legal compliance.
7. Briefly discuss the steps by which draft legislation is made valid.
8. Why is it that when instructions are given, they do not take the form of a bill?
9. As a draftsman, how do you approach the task of analysis of a propose bill? Describe.