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JIL 212: Nigeria Legal System 2

Answer Question 1 and 3 others (Question 1 carries 25 marks)

Time: 3hours

Q.1

(a) Identify and explain the known methods of commencing civil cases in Nigeria.

Q.2 Write note on the following.

- i. Cause List
- ii. Confession and Avoidance
- iii. Set Off

Q.3 Explain the following legal concepts.

- i. Pleading
- ii. Statement of claim
- iii. Statement of defence

Q.4 Discuss the following procedures in law

- i. Counter claim
- ii. Amendment of pleading
- iii. Consolidation of suits

Q.5 Consider in details third party proceedings and its advantages.

Q. 6 Inter pleader proceedings is a process well known to Nigerian Courts. Discuss