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FACULTY OF ARTS
July, 2017 Examination

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2017_1

Course Code: ARA381

Course Title: Arabic Morphology

Credit Units: 2

Time Allowed: 2 hrs.

Instruction to candidates: **Answer only THREE questions in all**

Question Number 2 is compulsory and attracts 30 marks.

- What is the difference between *al-Fi'il al-Jāmid* (الفعل الجامد) and *al-Fi'il al-Mutasarrif* (الفعل المتصرف)? (10 Marks)
 - Give five examples of each in meaningful sentences using different types. (10 Marks)
- Identify four different kinds of *fi'il rubaai mujarrad* (رباعي مجرد) conjugate all appropriately, and use them in meaningful sentences. (16 Marks)
 - State and conjugate five kinds of *fi'il khumaasi*, then use them in meaningful sentences. (10 Marks)
 - Identify two kinds of *fi'il thulaathi mujarrad*, conjugate them and use them in meaningful sentences. (4 Marks)
- What is the difference between سألتومنيها set and أنيت set? Illustrate with sentences. (20 Marks)
- Do the inflection/grammatical analysis (*I'raab*) of the following Quranic verses:

بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم، والشمس وضحاها والقمر إذا تلاها،
والنهار إذا جلاها، والليل إذا يغشاها، والسماء وما بناها، والأرض وما
طحاها، ونفس وما سواها، فألهمها فجورها وتقواها، قد أفلح من
زكاها، وقد خاب من دساها، كذبت ثمود بطغواها، إذ انبعث أشقاها،

فقال لهم رسول الله ناقة الله وسقياها، فكذبوه فعقروها، فدمدم
عليهم ربهم بذنبهم فسواها، ولا يخاف عقباها. (Marks 20)

5. Construct twenty (20) meaningful Arabic sentences containing at least two examples of each of the following:

**اسم الآلة، اسم الزمان، اسم المكان، اسم المبالغة،
اسم التفضيل**
(Marks 20)

Notes: Three (3) questions are to be attempted in all.

Question No 2 is compulsory and attracts 30 marks.

The other 2 attracts 20 marks each.

Total marks for exam = 70