

## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2013 EXAMINATION

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER FOUR OUESTIONS ONLY

TIME: 3 Hours

LED 759 LEGISLATIVE STRUCTURE

- 1. What arethe factors that influence legislativeformand structure, alljurisdictions operate conventions as to general arrangement. Reflect those factors followed in Nigeria and briefly discuss them.
- 2. What are the advantages of legislative plan you know vividly discuss them.
- 3. What are formal and informal divisions in a bill? Briefly describe a typical hierarchy of divisions in a bill. Give examples of formal and informal divisions.
- 4. State and discuss Eight instances where paragraphing is incorrect or in appropriate to be use in a bill.
- 5. Discuss the functions and benefits of paragraphing in a Bill.
- 6. Discuss the basic characteristics of structuring in a bill?
- 7. What are the guidelines to be followed by a drafter in structuring legislation?
- 8. What are the actions to be taken in drafting incorporating other provisions from another legislation?
- 9. Referential legislations call for caution in drafting a bill. Discuss those cautions.
- 10. As a Draftsman explain the good section guide of notes in a bill.