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FACULTY OF ARTS
October/November Examinations 2016

Course Code: CTH 713
Course Title: Critical Introduction to the Old Testament
Credit Unit: 2
Time Allowed: 2 hrs.

Instruction: Answer question ONE and TWO others

1. Write brief note on the concerns of the three categories of literary criticism of the Old Testament (30 Marks)
2. What are the reasons why critical literary study of the Bible is important? (20 marks)
3. Do a critical introduction to Obadiah. (20 marks)
4. Give background reasons for the emergence of the major prophets (20 marks)
5. List the six periods in the history of Israel and discuss the first three in chronological order. (20 marks)