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HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT PAPER 2

21/2 HRS

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FORM 4

MWAKICAN JOINT EXAMINATION (MJET)

INSTRUCTIONS CANDIDATES.

- a. This paper consists of three sections: A, B and C.

- b. Answer all the questions in section A, three questions from section B and two questions from section C.

- c. Answers to all the questions must be written in the answer booklet provided.

- d. Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

- e. Candidates should answer the questions in English.

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1. State two disadvantages of oral traditions as a source of History and Government.(2mks)
2. State two circumstances that forced man to start growing crops.(2mks)
3. State the main mode of transport used during the trans – Saharan trade.(1mks)
4. What was the contribution of Alexander Graham Bell in the of Science.(1mk)
5. Identify the form of writing that developed in Egypt as result of development of agriculture.(1mk)
6. State the main factor that led to emergence of Cairo as an Urban Centres (1mk)
7. Identify one factor that hinder industrialization in third world countries.(1mk)

8. Give two reasons why indirect rule was unsuccessful in Southern Nigeria .(2mks)(1x2)=2mks

9. State two strategic reasons for the scramble and partition of Africa.(2mks)

10. Give two resolution of the Berlin conference of 1884 to 1885(2mks)

11. Give two reasons why the league of nations was formed in 1919(2mks)

12. State one major event that led to the First World War.(1mk)

13. Identify two structural defects of the organization of African Unity(OAU) that have undermined its activities since 1963(2mks)

14. Give two reasons why united state of America (U.S.A) did not join the First World war until 1917.(2mks)

15. State one use of steel(1mk)
16. What is the main role of the International Criminal Court?(1mk)
17. Give the main principle that guides non-aligned movement.(1mk)

SECTION B(45 MKS)

Answer any three questions from this section in sheet provided.

18. a) State five impacts of early agriculture in Mesopotamia.(5mks)
- b) Explain the effects of food shortages in third world countries(10mks)
19. a) State five roles of Tuaregs in Trans-Saharan trade?(5mks)
- b) Explain five social effects of Trans-Saharan trade on the people of western Sudan?(2mks)
20. a) Give the factors that led to the rise of the Baganda Kingdom.(5mks)
- b) Describe the political organization of the Asante?(10mks) 2x5=10mks
21. a) State five factors which made the Lozi to collaborate with the British (5mks).
- b) Explain five reforms introduced by the German administration in Tanganyika after the MajiMaji rebellion.(10mks)

SECTION C(30MKS)

22. a) State five reasons why the British used indirect rule to administer Northern Nigeria(5mks)
- b) Why did the French system assimilation fail(10mks)
23. a) Give five functions of the security council of the United Nations Organization.(UNO) (5mks)
- b) Describe five benefits for being a member of the commonwealth of nations(10mks)
24. a) Give reasons for the formation of Non-Aligned Movement? (5mks)
- b) Explain five effects of the cold war?(10mks)

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