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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

HIST 311/361: HISTORY GOVERNMENT AND CONSTITUTION

STREAMS: SB

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 6/12/2018

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Answer question one and any other two questions**

1. (a) Outline key principles of constitutionalism. [15 marks]

(b) Describe the main features of the following contemporary systems of government.

[15

marks]

(i) Republicanism

(ii) Federalism

(iii) Socialism

(c) Examine the contribution of the Magna Carta to the formation of a parliamentary systems of government in medieval England. [10 marks]

2. Describe the characteristics of the following ancient Greece systems of government.

(i) Democracy

(ii) Aristocracy

3. Discuss the nature of pre-colonial African states. [20 marks]

4. Describe the salient features of ancient Egyptian systems of government. [20 marks]

5. Examine the key aspects of the colonial economic and administrative systems in Kenya.

[20marks]