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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN LEADERSHIP AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**LAPA 0140: ETHICS IN LEADERSHIP AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**STREAMS: DIP. LAPA Y1S2**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 08/04/2020**

**2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- **Answer ALL questions in section A and any TWO in section B.**

**SECTION A**

1. (a) Define the term ethics. (2 marks)
  - (b) Differentiate between Deontological and teleological theories of ethics and show the merits and demerits of each theory. (13 marks)
2. According to Aristotle 'Moral activities are human par excellence'
  - (i) Comment on Aristotle's view. (2 marks)
  - (ii) Why is it very important that human beings live a moral life? (8 marks)
  - (iii) Why do you think human nature always like deviating from the moral life? (5 marks)

**SECTION B**

3. (a) Discuss how the African traditional moral set up helped in building a stable African society before the coming of the foreigners. (10 marks)

(b) What main lessons can we learn from our traditional society as we strive to build our modern societies? (10 marks)

4. The current underdevelopment of many African nations has been attributed to lack of leaders with good morals.

Critically examine this assertion and give your view on the importance of nations being led by morally upright people. (20 marks)

5. (a) Discuss the character of a good leader. (10 marks)

(b) How exactly can ethics be used in preparing people for leadership? (10 marks)

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