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HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT

Paper 1

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KWANZA DISTRICT JOINT EVALUATION TEST – 2012

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

This paper consists of three sections **A**, **B** and **C**. Answer **ALL** the questions from section **A**, **ANY THREE** questions from section **B** and **ANY TWO** questions from section **C**.

*This paper consists of 2 printed pages.
Candidates should check the question paper to ensure that all
pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing*

SECTION A (25 MKS)

Answer ALL the questions from this section.

1. Define the term government. (1mk)
2. In what ways did the Kenyan communities interact during the pre-colonial period. (2mks)
3. State the functions of the council of elders (Njuri Ncheke) of the Ameru. (2mks)
4. Name the dispersal area of Eastern Bantus (1mk)
5. Give two factors which influenced Seyyid Said to develop agriculture in Zanzibar in the 16th Century (2mks)
6. Define the term government (1mk)
7. State two terms of Anglo German Agreement of 1886 (2mks)
8. State two reasons why the Portuguese built Fort Jesus (2mks)
9. Give one reason why the British colonial government encouraged white settlers to come to Kenya (1mk)
10. Identify two factors which encouraged the spread of Islam in Kenya by 1500 (2mks)
11. State the objectives of Kikuyu Central Association (KCA) (2mks)
12. Name two recommendations of the Lyttleton constitution of 1954 (2mks)
13. Identify two causes of division with opposition political party in Kenya since 1992 (2mks)
14. Define national integration (1mk)
15. Give two functions of the prisons department (2mks)
16. Give one way through which the education system in Kenya promotes national unity (1mk)
17. Identify two national philosophies used as development strategies in Kenya (2mks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer ANY THREE questions from this section.

18. a) Give three factors which contributed to the development of trade between the Kenyan Coast and the outside world by the 16th century. (3mks)
b) What reasons led to the decline of the Portuguese rule along the Kenyan Coast during the 17th century? (12mks)
19. a) State three reasons which made the British government encourage white settlement in Kenya during the colonial period. (3mks)
b) Describe six problems experienced by the European settlers in Kenya during the colonial period (12mks)
20. a) Identify three trade unions which joined to form the Kenya Federation of labour During the struggle for independence in Kenya (3mks)
b) Explain the role by trade unions to improve the lives of the people of Kenya during the colonial period. (12mks)
21. a) State five reasons why the government of Kenya adopted the sessional paper No. 10 of 1965 (5mks)
b) Explain the social effects of the national philosophies on development in Kenya (10mks)

SECTION C (30MKS)

Answer ANY TWO questions from this section

22. a) What five situations can make a registered voter to be denied the right to vote in Kenya
b) Explain the rights to an accused person during trial in a court of law in Kenya
23. a) What are the functions of the cabinet in Kenya? (5mks)
b) Discuss the challenges that face the Kenya Defence Forces ()
24. a) State three qualifications of one to be elected to county assembly (3mks)
b) Explain the powers and functions of a county governor (12mks)