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(DTM J09)

HISTORY OF EAST AFRICA

END OF SEMESTER EXAMS

SERIES: APRIL/MAY 2010.

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. This paper consists of **TWO** sections **A** and **B**.
2. Answer **ALL** questions from Section **A** and any **TWO** questions from Section **B**.

SECTION A

(Answer **ALL** questions.)

- Q.1 (a) Name the **TWO** Arab families who rules the Coast of East Africa on behalf of the Imam of Oman. (2 marks)
- (b) List **SIX** crops grown on plantations on the Coast of East Africa during Omani Arab rule. (3 marks)
- Q.2 (a) Name **FIVE** explorers who reached the interior of East Africa. (5 marks)
- (b) Give the names of any **FIVE** leaders of political organizations started by Kenyans between 1920 and 1945. (5 marks)
- Q.3 (a) Describe how slaves were captured in East Africa. (5 marks)
- (b) Give the year when:
- (i) Johnstone Kamau (Jomo Kenyatta) was arrested. (2 marks)
 - (ii) Kenya attained her independence. (2 marks)
 - (iii) Kenya experience a coup attempt. (2 marks)
- (c) Highlight any **FOUR** common features of early culture of East African communities before colonization. (4 marks)

SECTION B

(Answer any **TWO** questions)

- Q.4 (a) Explain **FIVE** results for resistance of British rule in Kenya. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **FIVE** problems encountered by explorers who reached the interior of East Africa, finding the source of River Nile. (15 marks)
- Q.5 (a) Briefly describe the Social, Political and economic organization of the Luo up to the 19th Century. (15 marks)
- (b) Outline the duties performed by Njuri Ncheke (Council of Elders) among the Ameru people. (5 marks)
- Q.6 (a) Name **FIVE** communities who were involved in slave trade and in each case, describe the trade routes each of the communities used. (15 marks)

- (b) State factors that led to the scramble and partitioning of East Africa. (5 marks)
- Q.7 (a) Name **TEN** leaders who played key roles in the struggle for independence in Kenya. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain **FIVE** areas in which Kenya has realized socio-economic development since her independence. (10 marks)