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**GARISSA UNIVERSITY**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR TWO**

**SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

**SCHOOL OF SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**FOR THE DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**COURSE CODE: DPA 11**

**COURSE TITLE: COUNTY ADMINISTRATION**

**EXAMINATION DURATION: 2 HOURS**

**DATE: 18/08/202 TIME: 11.00-2.00 PM**

**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

* **The examination has FIVE (5) questions**
* **Question ONE (1) is COMPULSORY**
* **Choose any other TWO (2) questions from the remaining FOUR (4) questions**
* **Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary**
* **Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room**
* **Do not write on this paper**

**This paper consists of TWO (2) printed pages *please turn over***

**QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)**

1. Define the term ‘devolution’ as used in County Administration. **[5 marks]**
2. Describe the composition of the County Assembly Service Board **[8 marks]**
3. What are some of the qualifications required for one to be a County Assembly Clerk? **[5 marks]**
4. Outline the significance of devolution to the local ‘wananchi’ **[7 marks]**

**QUESTION TWO**

1. Elucidate the functions and responsibilities of the County Governor in Kenya **[10 marks]**
2. Discuss the roles and responsibilities of the County Secretary **[10 marks]**

**QUESTION THREE**

1. What are some of the qualifications for the position of the County Secretaries in the county administration **[10 marks]**
2. Explain the roles of the Village Council in the administration of the county government **[10 marks]**

**QUESTION FOUR**

1. Explain the objectives and functions of the County Public Service Board **[12 marks]**
2. Describe the composition of the County Public Service Board in the Kenyan constitution **[8 marks]**

**QUESTION FIVE**

Explain the principles of citizen participation in County Government in Kenya **[20 marks]**