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SEMESTER 1 SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER  
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**COURSE NAME : HISTORY OF SWAZILAND**

**COURSE CODE : H211**

**TIME ALLOWED : 2 HRS**

**INSTRUCTIONS : 1. CHOOSE AND ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS  
2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS**

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**QUESTION 1**

**CHOOSE AND ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS  
EACH QUESTION IS WORTH 25 MARKS**

**QUESTION 1**

Discuss the succession disputes before the death of Sobhuza I and during the early reign of Mswati II plus the succession dispute after the death of Mswati II. What conclusion can you draw from these incidents concerning ascension to the throne in Swaziland?

**QUESTION 2**

Trace the flight of Sobhuza I and the Ngwane from Pongola to Dlodlomo. What made Zwibe to pursue Sobhuza for so long?

**QUESTION 3**

"Mpande, king of the Zulu was determined to invade Swaziland during the reign of Mswati II." Give three reasons why he wanted to attack the Swazi and state the various attempts he made and the results of each invasion.

**QUESTION 4**

Discuss the activities of the various concessionaires in Swaziland. How far could Mbandzeni be blamed for granting the concessions to the whites?

**QUESTION 5**

State the conditions in Swaziland that led to the Three Swaziland Conventions. What was the eventual outcome of these Conventions?