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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER: JULY 2017

TITLE OF PAPER: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND GOVERNANCE

COURSE CODE: PA 409

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER FOUR (4) QUESTIONS**
- 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF TWENTY FIVE (25) EACH**

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Question 1

Explain the multi-level governance approach and further explain how it has been applied in the European Union.

Question 2

In corporate governance the board of directors is appointed to act on behalf of shareholders to run the day to day affairs of the business. Outline the main roles and responsibilities of the board of directors.

Question 3

Distinguish between project governance and project management and also outline the key characteristics for achieving good project governance that are identified by the United Nations ESCAP.

Question 4

Discuss the legal duties, the core responsibilities as well as the fiduciary responsibility of non-profit boards

Question 5

Define governance using any two definitions from the different institutions. In addition outline the roles of the state and key milestones in governance as stated by the Asian Development Bank (2005).

Question 6

Discuss the following issues in relation to participatory governance;

- ❖ How participation can improve efficiency through accountability
- ❖ How participation can lead to equity and efficiency.
- ❖ How participation can lead to the formation of social capital.

Question 7

There are a number of issues that have been raised by different scholars with regards to the context of global governance. Choose any five and discuss them in detail.

Question 8

Democratic governance is good governance from a human perspective. Discuss.