

SECTION A

QUESTION 1

Outline and discuss John Locke's and Thomas Hobbes's conceptions of the state, explaining why the former (Locke) is considered to have made a major contribution to liberal philosophy.

QUESTION 2

Define government and analyze the features of a 'good government'. Why is 'good government' considered a vital aspect of any given society?

QUESTION 3

"Authority is a special kind of power". Discuss the foregoing statement, explaining how authority differs from the other major forms of power within a political system.

QUESTION 4

"Not all elections may be considered to be democratic". Analyze the foregoing statement, outlining the key ingredients of a democratic election.

SECTION B

QUESTION 5

The importance of Public Administration has continued to grow alongside the development of modern society. Discuss.

QUESTION 6

Outline the key features of Max Weber's ideal-type bureaucracy and discuss the limitations faced by modern public bureaucracies in adhering to this model.

QUESTION 7

Define decentralization and analyze the key benefits of its successful implementation.

QUESTION 8

What are the key challenges facing the African Public Enterprise sector and what are the possible solutions to these challenges?