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TIME: 3 HOURS
MARKS: 100

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. Answer ALL the questions.
2. Read ALL the questions carefully.
3. Number the answers according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
4. Start each section on a NEW page.
5. Use only BLUE or BLACK ink.
6. Write neatly and legibly.

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SECTION A

QUESTION 1

Various options are given as possible answers to the following questions. Choose the correct answer and write only the letter (A–D) next to the question number (1.1–1.10) in the ANSWER BOOK.

1.1 The Department of Police (previously the Department of Safety and Security) renders the following basic services:

A Finance and related services
B Tourism and related services
C Security and related services
D Education and related services

1.2 The wandering of ancient people in search of grazing lands for their animals:

A Domesticated
B Nomadic
C Trading
D Taming

1.3 The highest level of government in South Africa:

A Provincial sphere
B Local sphere
C Municipal sphere
D National sphere

1.4 The rights to human dignity, equality and freedom:

A Basic human rights
B Economic freedom
C Tender rights
D Commission of enquiry

1.5 NOT an organ of state:

A Telkom
B Eskom
C Rand Water
D Shoprite

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1.6 Traditional leadership that is inherited through kinship ties:

A Statutory
B Basic
C Hereditary
D Modern

1.7 The current king of the Zulu ethnic group in South Africa:

A King Mswati
B King Zwelithini
C King George
D King Dalindyebo

1.8 One of the roles and functions of traditional councils:

A Promoting the ideals of cooperative governance
B Managing individual monthly income
C Enjoying the benefits of democracy
D Dictating to traditional communities

1.9 The importance of intergovernmental relations:

A Identifying tender boards
B Eliminating opposition leaders
C Ensuring sufficient supply of coal
D Promoting cooperation

1.10 The highest category of intergovernmental structure:

A Municipal intergovernmental forum
B National intergovernmental forum
C Provincial intergovernmental forum
D The President's Coordinating Council

(10 × 1) **[10]**

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QUESTION 2

Indicate whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. Choose the answer and write only 'True' or 'False' next to the question number (2.1–2.10) in the ANSWER BOOK.

2.1 Governance is the manner in which government is managed.

2.2 Any structure of local government can make amendments to the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996.

2.3 Rule of law means that all decisions taken by government must be based on the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996.

2.4 Statutory traditional leadership structures are set up by legislation.

2.5 The National Assembly consists of only the members of the ruling party in South Africa.

2.6 Senior traditional leaders report to the headmen and/or women in traditional communities.

2.7 A municipal council must elect a member of its executive council as a mayor.

2.8 The Independent Electoral Commission is not governed by any Act of Parliament.

2.9 The local spheres of government are the different parts of government that function on a national level.

2.10 Democracy implies rule by the people and ensures political equality.

(10 × 1) **[10]**

QUESTION 3

Choose a description from COLUMN B that matches a term in COLUMN A. Write only the letter (A–L) next to the question number (3.1–3.10) in the ANSWER BOOK.

COLUMN A		COLUMN B	
3.1	Traditional Council	A	someone who officially represents their country in a foreign country
3.2	NCOP	B	holding a position by inheritance or birth
3.3	Intragovernmental relations	C	system with grades of authority or status from the lowest to the highest
3.4	Diplomat	D	organs of state such as Eskom and Telkom
3.5	Metropolitan city	E	responsible for electing the President of South Africa
3.6	Hereditary	F	statutory body set up for each traditional community
3.7	Hierarchic	G	sector policing method
3.8	The Speaker	H	National Council of Provinces
3.9	Local government	I	consists of municipalities for a given territory in the Republic of South Africa
3.10	The National Assembly	J	ensures the right to freedom of speech and opinion in a democratic manner
		K	Nelson Mandela Bay
		L	internal relations of governmental authorities

(10 × 1) **[10]**

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SECTION B

QUESTION 4

4.1 Define *organ of state*. (6)

4.2 List FOUR of the most important organs of state in the state owned enterprises category, investigated under "state capture" allegations. (4)

4.3 Explain who the municipal manager is by also referring to his/her function in a municipality. (6)

4.4 A democratic government is influenced by historical experiences.

What are the FOUR main sources of a democratic society? (4)
[20]

QUESTION 5

5.1 Differentiate between a *municipal council* and a *municipality*. (10)

5.2 Discuss Section 41 of the Constitution, 1996, in terms of the relationship between policing agencies in a community. (5)

5.3 In terms of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, the President may be removed from office under certain circumstances.

Name and discuss these circumstances with reference to the statement above. (5)
[20]

QUESTION 6

Read the statement below and answer the questions.

ALL organs of the state must work together with other governance institutions to help South Africa develop further. This is called cooperative governance.

6.1 Explain what the intergovernmental relations framework is. (4)

6.2 What functions must ALL organs of state perform to ensure a cooperative government? (6)
[10]

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SECTION C

QUESTION 7

7.1 Discuss the constitutional provisions regarding the legislative powers and functions of a municipal council in terms of section 151(2) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996. (10)

7.2 Discuss the powers and functions of a provincial legislature. (10)
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TOTAL SECTION C: 20
GRAND TOTAL: 100

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