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**STRATHMORE INSTITUTE
DIPLOMA IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION
DIR 1301: ELEMENTS OF NATIONALISM IN AFRICAN STATES**

DATE: 23rd April, 2020

Time: 2 Hours

Instructions

1. This examination consists of **FIVE** questions.
2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions.
3. Do not write on the question paper.

QUESTION ONE

- a) Using examples from **Africa** explain the difference between the following pairs:
 - i. Stateless nation and nation-state. (5 marks)
 - ii. Multinational state and multistate nation (5 marks)
- b) Citing current events critically analyse the statement that nationalism is on the rise in Africa. (10 marks)
- c) Giving relevant examples, explain **THREE** common types of nationalism found in Africa. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Citing examples examine issues that have influenced nationalism in Africa. (10 marks)
- b) Explain **TWO** characteristics of an ethnic community (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Using examples, discuss the distinguishing characteristics of a nation and state. (15 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Critically analyse the statement that theoretically nationalism in Africa is developed through socialization and not birth. (15 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the benefits and risks of nationalism to African's internal and international politics. (15 marks)