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## 2021\_1 EXAMINATION ....

**COURSE CODE: MPA 870** 

**COURSE UNIT: 2** 

COURSE TITLE: LOCAL GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATIONS

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instructions: 1. Answer question number One (1) and any other two (2).

2. Question number 1 is Compulsory and carries 30 marks,

3 While the other questions carry 20 marks each.

4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner

In Nigeria, the Local Government Areas' (LGAs) has explicit statutory role as a tier and component of Nigerian federalism. The 1999 constitution consolidated on 1976, 1979 and 1989 constitution for better local government administration which leads to the present structure, departmental organogram and commitment in LGA for better efficiency, effectiveness and quality output through various official relationships. Based on the above answer the questions below:

- 1. a. Elucidate on the concept of Inter local relationship and state-local relations in local government
  - b. Highlight five methods of inter-relationship at the local government level
  - c. With the aid of an organogram explain the department in Local government.
  - d. Identify and explain five banes that hindered local governments output.

[Compulsory, 30 marks]

- List ten and explain five in details crucial committee that enhance functionality and promote better local government administration. [20 marks]
- 3. a. Discuss each of the following countries Federal-local relationship pattern:
  - b. United States of America
- b. Britain
- c France
- d. Ghana

[20 marks]

- 4 Explain the following terms of local government;
  - a. Communist Local Government
- b. Prefectoral Local government

- c. Deconcentration
- d. Delegation
- e. Devolution
- f. Decentralization

[20 marks]