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MAIN EXAMINATION

MAY – JULY 2019 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SPECIAL / SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

SPO 355: INTRODUCTION TO ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

Date: JULY 2019

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

1.
 - a. What is administrative law?
 - b. What is the genesis of administrative law and what were the catalysts of its expansion?
 - c. What are the two types of agencies in the administrative law?
 - d. Describe the principles of the Red Light Theory and the Green Light Theory with some examples. (20 marks)
2.
 - a. What is the origin of the term Ombudsman?
 - b. Trace the origin of the office of the Ombudsman in Kenya.
 - c. What are the functions of the office of the Ombudsman in Kenya?

- d. Is the office of the Ombudsman in your country useful or not? Give examples (20 marks)
3. (a) What is the Independent Police Oversight Authority (IPOA) of Kenya?
(b) What are the functions of IPOA?
(c) How does one make a complaint to IPOA? (20 marks)
- 4.
- a. What are the three functions of administrative process?
- b. Name and describe the limitations on agency powers
- c. What are the two theoretical bases of participation in administrative law (20 marks)
- 5.
- a. What is the meaning of fairness and natural justice in administrative law?
- b. Describe the processes of fairness or natural justice in administrative law.
- c. What contributions, if any, do the principles of fairness and natural justice make towards the stability of our society? (20 marks)

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