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MEDIA AND DEMOCRACY: PG 212

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EXAMINATION PAPER

TIME: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer any **THREE** questions

Each question carries 100 marks

Candidates are expected to use relevant examples and cases in answering essay questions

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1. Critique the contention that media in Africa is ineffective and biased.
 2. With reference to any African leader, explain the role of civil society in developing the leaders' traits and leadership approach.
 3. Explain the effects of the media hegemony in Africa.
 4. "Gramsci defines hegemony as a form of control exercised by a dominant class primarily through a society's superstructure". To what extent does this assertion apply to the Zimbabwean society?
 5. Assess the impact of the Hypodermic Needle theory on the land reform campaigns in Zimbabwe from 2000.

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