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**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
(CITY CAMPUS - WEEKEND)**

DDA 0101: BASIC CONCEPTS IN GOVERNMENT

Date: 20th July, 2014

Time: 2.00 – 4.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ANY THREE questions.

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1. Discuss the origins of government in the three epochs of civilization
2. Outline the differences between state and government
3. Clearly discuss the following
 - a) Three classes of services government offers
 - b) The constituent functions of government
4. Discuss the roles of political parties in a political system.
5. Briefly discuss each of the following
 - a) Power
 - b) Authority
 - c) Bureaucracy
 - d) Sovereignty
 - e) Legitimacy
6. Civil society and government interact amicably. Discuss