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SEMESTER EXAMINATION

Programmes: **MLS, MPD & MEP**

Session: **2018/2019**

Semester: **1st Semester**

Course Code: **GEC 807**

Course Title: - **Parliaments In The Modern World: Contemporary Issues**

Instructions: i. Answer **any 4** questions, each question carries **17.5 marks**.

ii. Time allowed: **3hours** iii Write your **Matriculation Number Only**

iv. Orderly arrangement and good presentation of materials will be considered.

Question One

(a) Outline the following typologies of legislatures:

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| i. | Policy-influencing legislature | (2.5 marks) |
| ii. | Policy-making legislature | (2.5 marks) |
| iii. | Transformative legislature | (2.5 marks) |
| iv. | Arena legislature | (2.5 marks) |

(b) Differentiate between institutions and institutionalizations (5 marks)

Question Two

(a) List the three types of lobbying discussed by Philip Norton (1994) in *Representation of Interests: The Case of the British House of Commons*. **(6 Marks)**

(b) Outline the arguments in favour of the regulation of lobbying. **(9 marks)**

Question Three

Discuss the four components of responsiveness identified by Ilter Turan (1994) in *The Turkish Legislature: From Symbolic to Substantive Representation* **(15 Marks)**