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SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

Programmes: **MLD**

Session: **2016/2017**

Semester: **2nd Semester**

Course Code: **GLC 804**

Course Title: **Legal Research Methodology**

Instructions:

- i. Answer any **4** questions
- ii. Write your Registration Number **only**
- iii. Orderly arrangement and good presentation of materials will be considered.
- iv. Time allowed: **3hours**
- v. Each question carries 17.5marks

Question One

- a) Explain what you understand by the concept: A Research Proposal. **(7.5 marks)**
- b) Highlight and briefly explain the key contents of a Research Proposal. **(10 marks)**

Total 17.5marks

Question Two

- a) Briefly explain what you understand by Literature Review. **(2.5marks)**
- b) Highlight **5 key functions** of a literature review. **(7.5marks)**
- c) Highlight and discuss **five key features** of a good literature review. **(7.5 marks)**

Total 17.5marks

Question Three

- a) List and explain **5 common sources** of literature in a legal research (***State whether Doctrinal or Non-Doctrinal***) **(7.5 marks)**
- b) When conducting a literature search, list and discuss the **four key** stages in the literature search process. **(10 marks)**