

**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**

**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 2016\_2 EXAMINATION QUESTIONS**

**COURSE CODE: POL444**

**COURSE TITLE: NIGERIAN LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 HRS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY THREE**

**Q.1. a). Identify the various sources of revenue to Local Government Councils in Nigeria**

**b). Suggest possible ways of improvement (23marks).**

**Q.2. Explain how the powers of Local Government in Nigeria are controlled (23marks)**

**Q.3. Illustrate and explain the relationship and functions of the principal organs of a Local Government Council (23marks).**

**Q.4. Local Government System in Nigeria should be abolished. Discuss (23marks).**

**Q.5.Write short notes on the following (23 marks).**

1. The Speaker (b) The Gavel

(c) The Leader (d) Chief Whip

(e) The Mace (f) Hansard

(g) Supervisory Councilors (h) Councilors

(i) Bye-laws (j) Veto power

(k) Assent (l) Casting vote