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**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
(MMUST)**

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

MAIN EXAMINATION

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

**FOR THE DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

COURSE CODE: HIS 225

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO THE HISTORY OF AFRICA SINCE 1884

DATE: 17/04/2023

TIME: 12:00 – 2:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

TIME: 2 HOURS

**MMUST OBSERVES ZERO TOLERANCE TO EXAMINATION
CHEATING**

QUESTION ONE

a. "The treaties signed between the Europeans and African chiefs were fraudulent".

Discuss.

(10 marks)

b. Based on Walter Rodney's **How Europe Underdeveloped Africa**, explain how Africa has been underdeveloped since 1884.

(20 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Situate the place of coup d'états in post-colonial Africa's political economy. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Give a brief historiography of African resistances and collaborations between 1890 and 1915.

(20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

What motivated Kwame Nkurumah to write the book: **Neocolonialism: The Last Stage of Imperialism?**

(20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Citing specific authorities, discuss the various theories advanced to explain European imperialism in Africa.

(20 marks)