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(EMERGENCY PAPER)

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- *This paper consists of two sections A and B. It has 4 examination items*
- *Section A is compulsory*
- *Answer one item from section B*
- *Answer three examination items in all*
- *Any additional items answered will not be marked*

SECTION A IS COMPULSORY.

Item 1

The Royal tombs of Buganda at Kasubi were set on fire by unknown strangers and very many items were completely destroyed. The police and other security agencies made efforts to find out the actual cause of this fire but their efforts remained futile.

Many Ugandans came up with arguments over this event that the tombs should be removed so that an industry is put up to provide employment to the people. However, UNESCO has insisted that the tombs should be renovated and maintained.

Support material: *Front view of the Kasubi Royal tombs in Buganda as of 2012.*



Task:

Support UNESCO's idea.

Item 2

In last decade, East Africa has witnessed an increase in foreign Non-Governmental and Civil Society Organizations. In some communities in Uganda, local leaders mistakenly believe that many of these foreign Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) are opposed to the government, despite their primary focus on humanitarian work. As a result, many of these foreign NGOs are withdrawing from your area and the entire country, which has negatively affected important community services and support systems.



Non-government organization at work in Northern Uganda

Task:

Write an essay to your local leaders convincing them about these organizations to continue operating in your area.

SECTION B

Attempt any one question only

Item 3

The opposition leaders of many governments in Africa think that the only way of removing the governments from power is through staging strikes and demonstrations

The masses that join them who are most times youths tend to destroy properties of those people that they think support the government in power.

This in the end causes political unrest which influences the police and other security agencies to interfere with preventive measures like use of tear gas, arrests and detentions among others. This hence influences people to dissociate with the so called “freedom fighters.”

Support material: *Police arresting a youth after a strike in Masaka.*



Task:

Which other measures can the youths use?

Item 4

In most parts of East Africa, there have been ongoing violations of human rights by individuals, institutions, and some government agencies. These violations have caused misery, unrest, and tensions within the region. Human rights groups, tasked with upholding human rights and the rule of law to maintain a peaceful society, are determined to address these issues. You have been chosen in your country to collaborate with these groups.

Task:

Write an essay you will use to address the challenge in the above scenario.