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COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

**2024/2025 HARMATTAN SEMESTER UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**BSc. Political Science and International Relations**

**Course Code: PSR 413**

**Course Title: MIDDLE EAST IN WORLD POLITICS**

**Time Allotted: 2hrs.**

**Instructions: Answer any three (3) questions. Each question carries 20 marks.**

**Note: Write clearly and legibly.**

1. (a). With examples, show your understanding of the term "Regional Blocs".  
(b). With reference to the Arab League, discuss critically and logically the political, and economic benefits of membership of the League.
2. Middle East has been a centre of political activity and of interest to the global community. What do you understand by Middle East?
- 3 (a). What do you understand by the concept 'Great Powers'?  
(b). What are the reasons for interest shown by Great Powers in the Middle East?
4. Clearly account for the emergence of the **State of Israel** in the Middle East.
5. Discuss in clear terms the relationship between the State of Israel and her Middle East neighbours.