## NYSMTA - DISTRICT 4 Theory Test - Level Five - Sample

| 1. | Draw the key signatures. |          |         |         |         |         | (14 points) |  |
|----|--------------------------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|--|
| 8  |                          |          |         | 2       |         |         |             |  |
| J  | B Major                  | Eb Major | g minor | c minor | E Major | e minor | Db Major    |  |

2. Notate the ascending and descending relative harmonic minor scale to Bb Major. Use accidentals, no key signature. (5 points)



**3.** Notate the ascending and descending C melodic minor scale. Use accidentals, no key signature. (5 points)



**4.** Name the triads (letter name of the root) and the quality ("Maj" for Major, "min" for minor, "Aug" for augmented, "dim" for diminished). For example: Gdim. (14 points)



**5.** Identify the intervals (number size) and their quality (ie: P5, m3, dim6, aug4, etc.). (16 points)



6. The following example is <u>four bars</u> long. a) Fill in the correct time signature on the staff (1pt)
b) Name the key (1pt); c) Add bar lines; d) Write the counts for each measure below the notes (4pts/bar)



**7.** Match the terms in the left column by writing the number of the correct sign or term from the right column. (10 points)

| Sforzando (sfz) | <br>1.  | A slow movement        |
|-----------------|---------|------------------------|
| Dal segno       | <br>2.  | Little by little       |
| Adagio          | <br>3.  | Faster                 |
| Piu mosso       | <br>4.  | A sudden strong accent |
| Rallentando     | <br>5.  | Go back to the sign    |
| Chromatics      | <br>6.  | With motion            |
| Con moto        | <br>7.  | Lively, animated, fast |
| Cadence         | <br>8.  | Get slower and slower  |
| Vivace          | <br>9.  | Ending of a phrase     |
| Poco a poco     | <br>10. | Movement by half steps |