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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
2020_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PAD810

COURSE TITLE: Public Policy Analysis

CREDIT UNITS: 3

INSTRUCTIOS:

- 1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly**
- 2. Attempt Question 1 and another three (3) questions, four questions in all.**
- 3. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 25marks while the other 3 questions carry 15marks each**
- 4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner**

Time Allowed: 2^{1/2} Hours

QUESTIONS:

1. a. What is Public Policy Analysis? **(5 marks)**
b. Discuss the relevance of Public Policy Analysis in the public governance. **(12 marks)**
c. List and discuss the aims of Policy Evaluation. **(8 mark)**
2. What are the functions of the legislature in Public Policy making? **(15 marks)**
3. List **all** the actors in Public Policy making and discuss **ONLY three** of these actors. **(15 marks)**
4. List and discuss the **3 stages** of Public Policy making process. **(15 marks)**
5. Write short notes on the following: **(15 marks)**
 - a. Game Theory. **(5 marks)**
 - b. Zero Based Budgeting. **(5 marks)**
 - c. Cost benefit analysis (CBA) **(5 marks)**
6. Discuss Mega and Meta Policies and show their relevance in policy making and Analysis. **(15 marks)**

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