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## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA Plot 91 Cadastral Zone Nnamdi Azikiwe Express Way, Jabi-Abuja FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION 2021\_2 EXAMINATION\*\*

Course Code: PAD 405 Credit Unit: 3

**Course Title: PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS** 

**Time Allowed: 2<sup>1/2</sup> HOURS** 

**Instructions:** 

1. Attempt Question 1 and any other three (3) Questions.

2. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 25 marks while the other 3 Questions

carry 15 marks each.

3. Present all your points in a coherent and orderly manner.

1a. Examine critically the Structure and Operations of the Power sector in Nigeria.

1b.Examine briefly Four (4) problems militating against the effectiveness of the Power sector in Nigeria.

1b.Suggest five (5) to improve the effectiveness of the Power sector in Nigeria.

- 2a. Discuss briefly the concept of Planning.
- 2b. Examine Five (5) problems of Planning in Nigeria.
- **3a.** Define Public Policy.
- 3b. Discuss critically Four (4) types of Public Policy
- **4a.** Examine Five (5) differences between the Descriptive and the Prescriptive approaches to Public Policy Analysis.
- 4b. Mention (5) Elements of the Project Programme Budgeting System (PPBS).
- **5a.** Examine critically the roles of Five (4) actors in the Policy –Making Process in Nigeria.
- 5b. List Three (3) characteristics of Public Policy Analysis