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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
2021_2 EXAMINATION..

COURSE CODE: PAD807

CREDIT UNIT: 3

COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION THEORY

TIME ALLOWED: 2^{1/2} HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Attempt question number One (1) and any other three (3) questions.**
- 2. Question number 1 is Compulsory and carries 25 marks, While the other questions carry 15 marks each.**
- 3. Present all your points in a coherent and orderly manner**

- 1. a. Explain the concept of Development Administration.**
 - b. Compare and contrast Public Administration and Development Administration.**
 - c. Discuss three major factors which led to the emergence of Development Administration as an academic discipline. [25 Marks]**
- 2. a. What are the three main issues posed by Dudley Seers for the understanding of Development?**
 - b. Relate those issues to Nigeria to justify whether Nigeria is developed or not developed. [15 Marks]**
- 3. a. Enumerate the features of the vicious cycle of poverty.**
 - b. Explain how this vicious cycle affects the development of a country, using Nigeria as an example. [15 Marks]**
- 4. a. Define development planning according to Albert Waterson (1974).**
 - b. How did the Comparative Administration Group define National Planning, at the 1968 Minnowbrook Conference?**
 - c. Highlight four areas into which Planning can be categorised. [15 Marks]**
- 5. a. Enumerate and discuss three reasons for the establishment of public enterprises.**
 - b. Discuss three economic benefit arguments in favour of privatisation. [15 Marks]**