

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE 2019_1 POP EXAMINATION

Programme: Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution PCR362: Urban Violence and Security Credit Units: 3 Credit Units Time Allowed: 3hours

General Information: Four (4) questions are to be answered. Each of the questions carries 17.5 marks. Total score is 70.

- 1. Discuss the causes of steady increase in urban population growth rates in independent African countries. (17.5 marks).
- 2. Discuss the effects of violent conflict on security in any urban setting (17.5 marks)
- 3. Examine various power differentials and how they usually manifest in conflict situations (17.5 marks)
- 4. Discuss five reasons why conflicts are more prevalent in most world cities than in the rural areas. (17.5 marks)
- 5. Explain the importance of the following conflict management and peace-building instruments for addressing urban violence (17.5 marks).
- 6. With examples from Nigeria discuss five different types of urbanisation 17.5 marks