



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**

**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**2019\_1 EXAMINATION QUESTIONS**

**COURSE CODE: POL 326**

**COURSE TITLE: ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS**

**CREDIT UNITS: 2**

**TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS**

1. Political Authorities see *Public Health* as a vital policy instrument for prioritising Environmental Health for political systems and governments. Citing Nigeria's experiences explain this. 23marks
2. *Deforestation* and *Flooding* have become major challenges to environmental management. How do you view this? 23marks
3. Write short notes with examples where necessary on any five (5) of the under listed concepts in Environmental Politics:
  - i. Biodiversity
  - ii. Environmental Risk
  - iii. Environmental Justice
  - iv. Environmental Assets
  - v. Natural Resources
  - vi. Management Actions23marks
4. Discuss sources of *resource conflict* in natural resources management and how they can be arbitrated, contained, resolved or managed. 23marks
5. *Air pollution* is more harmful than water pollution to environment health and the political economy of developing countries. Demonstrate with examples an understanding of this claim. 23marks