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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
2024 1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PAD 328

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL CHANGE

CREDIT UNITS: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: 1. Attempt four (4) questions in All, Question one (1) and any other three (3)
2. Question number 1 is compulsory and carries 25 marks, while the other questions carry 15 marks each
3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner

1. (a) Highlight the concept of social capital in community development. (10 Marks)
(b) Discuss any three (3) ways in which financial resources can be mobilized for community development. (15 Marks)
2. (a) List any three (3) elements of a community. (3 Marks)
(b) Explain any four (4) obstacles to development. (12 Marks)
3. (a) Briefly highlight the main duty(ies) of government to its citizenry. (7.5Marks)
(b) Briefly discuss the role of state governments in community development. (7.5 Marks)
4. Mention any six (6) solutions to the challenges of community development and explain any three. (15 Marks, 3 marks for mentioning and 12 marks for explanation)
5. (a) What do you understand by the term development? (5 Marks)
(b) Briefly discuss the essence of community development. (10 Marks)