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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
2025_2 EXAMINATIONS.

COURSE CODE: CRD 403

COURSE TITLE: COMPARATIVE COOPERATIVE

CREDIT UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

Instruction: 1. Attempt question number one (1) and any other Two (2)

- 2. Question Number One (1) is compulsory and attracts 30 Marks, while any other two Questions attract 20 Marks each**
- 3. Present your answers in a clearly and orderly manner**

QUESTION 1: Comparative Cooperative was not really Comparative but descriptive as the people were mostly concerned with the description of cooperative systems of each country without necessarily comparing one cooperative systems with another.

Describe the historical development of comparative cooperative. *[30 Marks]*

QUESTION 2: Britain represents the symbol of cooperative evolution and the consumer cooperative is the first known successful cooperative society established in Britain in 1844. It was a fact that there are some factors that led to Success of Consumers Cooperative Movement in Britain. **DISCUSS [20 marks]**

QUESTION 3: International Cooperative Alliance (ICA) has various Works/services they render to their members. Highlight these works of ICA and discuss how these ICA works can benefit cooperative societies in Nigeria of the International Cooperative Alliance. *[20 Marks]*

QUESTION 4: The organizational structure of cooperation in Nigeria is a four-tier system with the mother union. Explain these Nigeria cooperative structure one by one with their membership compositions. *[20 Marks]*

QUESTION 5: There are many approaches that can be used to study comparative cooperative. Use the approaches below to explain comparative cooperative in Nigeria

- A. Area study approach *[5 Marks]*
- B. Case Study Approach *[5 Marks]*
- C. Comparative Approach *[5 Marks]*
- D. Descriptive Approach *[5 Marks]*