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2025\_1 EXAMINATION...**

**COURSE CODE: PAD 308**

**COURSE TITLE: Nigeria Government and Politics**

**CREDIT UNITS: 3**

**TIME ALLOWED: 3Hrs**

**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

Q1a. The Federal Practice in Nigeria emerged through the new rulers in Africa. Discuss (10 Marks)

Q1b. Historically traces the evolution of Inter-governmental Relation in Nigeria (15 Marks)

Q2b. One major characteristics of federal constitution is the formal division of jurisdictional powers among and between the levels of governments within the polity. Discuss (10 Marks)

Q2a. Enumerate the basic challenges of Intergovernmental Relations in Nigeria (5 Marks)

Q3a. Discuss How the Military Got Involved In Politics in Nigeria (10 Marks)

Q3b. Highlight Five (5) Basic Achievements of the Military Regimes in Nigeria (5 Marks)

Q4. Discuss the Revenue Allocation in relation to fiscal federalism in Nigeria (15 Marks)

Q5. Outline the Federal Government Various commission and committees' setup to resolve the issue of intergovernmental fiscal (10 Marks)

Q5b. Explain the concept of restructuring (5 Marks)