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**ESM 405 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCIES:CASE
STUDIES**

TIME ALLOWED: 2½ hrs

Instruction: Answer 4 questions out of 6

1. Write a short note on environmental protection (25 marks)
2. Briefly describe the history of Environmental Protection in Nigeria (25)
3. Identify and discuss 5 broad roles of Environmental Protection Agencies in Nigeria (25 marks)
4. Discuss 4 functions of the National Environmental Standards and Regulations Enforcement Agency (NESREA) (25 marks)
5. There have been reported cases of oil spill and pollution in some parts of Nigeria, including the Niger Delta. Of what relevance is the National Oil Spill Detection Response Agency (NOSDRA) to oil spill pollution control in Nigeria?(25 marks)
6. Explain the mandate of the following regulatory tools:
 - a. Water Resources Act, CAP W2, LFN 2004
 - b. Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Act, CAP N142, LFN 2004 (25 marks)