

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14/16 AHMADU BELOW WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES JUNE/JULY, 2013 EXAMINATIONS

COURSE CODE: PSM807 CREDIT UNIT: 2

COURSE TITLE: Management of Public Services

TIME ALLOWED: 2 hrs.

INSTRUCTION: 1. Attempt question Number one (1) and any other two (2).

2. Question number 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks, while the

other questions carry equal marks each.

3 Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner.

1a). Elucidate the terms Public Service.

- b). A government cannot do without a public service. Explain this statement.
- c). Explain the main duties of a public servant?
- 2). Discuss five problems of the Nigerian Public Service and suggest ways of ameliorate the problems.
- 3a). What are the rationale for Decree 43 of 1988 as provided by Dotun Phillips?
- b) What are the key elements of the recommendations of 1994 Ayida Review Panel Report.
- 4). Discuss the elements of TQM and how it can be applied to your organization or an organization you are familiar with.
- 5). Explain the term retirement? Discuss in details the consequences of unplanned retirement.
- b). What are the benefits of a planned retirement for an employee?