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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER EXAMINATION 2016

COURSE CODE: MGS761 CREDIT UNIT: 2

COURSE TITLE: THE NIGERIAN ECONOMY

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instructions: 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

- 1(a) Discuss the contributions of the following to the economy:
 - (i) Food Provision
 - (ii) Export Production
 - (iii) Expansion of Domestic Market
 - (b) Explain the different patterns of resources utilization under the following headings?
 - (i) Land-Surplus Economy
 - (ii) Labour-Surplus Economy
 - (iii) Mixed Variable Proportion Economy. 30 Marks
- 2 (a) what are the Sources of Failure in Parastatals?
 - (b) State the effects of Government spending in Nigeria. 20 Marks
- 3 (a) Mention the advantages of the Indigenization Policy in Nigeria.
 - (b) Based on the Orthodox Approach, state ten causes for the Nigerian Debt crisis. **20 Marks**
- 4 (a) What Is Monetary Policy?
 - (b) State ten ways through which the Federal Government aims to remove identified obstacles to rapid agricultural development and crop production. **20 Marks**
- 5 (a) Enumerate Nigeria's Expected Benefits from ECO WAS.
 - (b) Mention the weaknesses in past and present health policies in Nigeria. 20 Marks