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COURSE CODE: LAW 443

COURSE TITLE: ADMINISTRATIVE LAW I

TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTION: Answer any 5 questions. All questions carry equal marks

1. Administrative law is concerned with the power and procedures of administrative agencies. The remedies available to an aggrieved person also fall within the province of Administrative Law. Discuss.
2. There is no difference between Constitutional Law and Administrative Law. Discuss.
3. The rule of law is the bedrock upon which a democratic state is built. Discuss with specific reference to Nigeria and decided case law.
4. There seems to be no substantial difference between those administrative agencies established by the Nigerian 1999 Constitution as amended and administrative agencies established by virtue of the enactments of the National Assembly. Discuss.
5. Without the requisite control measures, delegated legislation will become an unruly horse and indeed an instrument of oppression. Discuss.
6. The rule making procedure of administrative agencies are as important as the substantive regulations which they make. Discuss
7. The supremacy of the constitution is a critical component of federal systems of government. Evaluate this statement with special reference to Nigeria.
8. When the legislative and the executive powers are united in the same person or body....there can be no liberty... Again, there is no liberty if the judicial power is not separated from the legislature and the executive....there would be an end of everything if the same person or body were to exercise all three powers “Baron de Montesquieu, De l’ spirit deslois.
Discuss the principle formulated above especially as it applies to Nigeria.
9. Enumerate and discuss the various types of rule making procedures.

