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MARCH/APRIL 2014 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: AEM 511

COURSE TITLE: LEADERSHIP AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

TIME ALLOWED: 2HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER 5 QUESTIONS (ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS)

QUESTIONS

- 1
 - a. As a professional extension worker, how would you define leadership.
 - b. State the four basic elements of leadership
 - c. List five types of leaders by path to leadership and explain any four.

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 - a. State five characteristics of a leader and explain any two.
 - b. List five methods of leadership selection and explain any three
 - c. State two reasons why leaders are important.

- 3
 - a. Define group dynamics and group leadership.
 - b. State six criteria for a group formation
 - c. State three differences between primary groups and secondary groups.

- 4
 - a. Define group development.
 - b. List five stages in group development and explain any two.
 - c. State three characteristics of an effective group.

- 5
 - a. Define the term "Power"
 - b. State five bases of power and explain any two.
 - c. Briefly describe three excesses of power according to Chitamber 1973.

- 6
 - a. How can good leaders be identified according to Ekong 2003,.
 - b. Mention five challenges of rural development.
 - c. State five importance of rural areas.

- 7 a. Identify and discuss three strategies for rural development.
- b. State five guidelines for rural development.
- c. Discuss six programmes for rural development.