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FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION: June/July

Course Code: AEM 511

Course Title: Leadership and Rural Development

Instruction: (i) Answer Five 5 Questions

Credit Units: 3

(ii) All questions carry equal marks (20 marks each) Time Allowed: 3 Hours

1. Explain these terms: **20mks**
 - i. Leader
 - ii. Leadership
 - iii. Boss
 - iv. Headman
 - v. Dictatorial leader **5mks each**
2.
 - a. Describe two (2) types of leadership by orientation. **4mks**
 - b. Enumerate the two basic roles of a leader and give 4 examples of each. **10mks**
 - c. Mention 6 characteristics of a leader. **6mks.**
3.
 - a. Good leaders are instrument to the success of any Extension programme. Discuss five **(5)** ways a good leader can be selected according to Williams et al., (1984). **10mks**
 - b. Identify 5 importance of local leaders. **5mks**

- c. The professional extension workers must be aware of some limitations of local leaders. List any five of these limitations. **5mks**
- 4.
 - a. Differentiate between group dynamics Group leadership. **5mks**
 - b. Mention the criteria for a group. **5mks**
 - c. Identify ten (10) Characteristics of Effective Group
- 5.
 - a. According to Mills (2005), what does it entail to take leadership position? **8mks**
 - b. Enumerate and explain three (3) kinds of relationship that must exist between Extension agents and lay leader. **12mk**
- 6.
 - a. What is a social system?. **5mks**
 - b. List 5 experiences expected of a social system without a leader. **5mks**
 - c. Name and explain 5 element of social system. **10mks**
- 7.
 - a. Define power and mention its two components. **5mks**
 - b. Mention five (5) bases each of a leader's power and influence. **10mks**
 - c. Name five (5) forms of social power identified by Atlee and Atlee (2008) **5mks**