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2020_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PAD810

COURSE TITLE: Public Policy Analysis

CREDIT UNITS: 3

INSTRUCTIOS:

1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly

- 2. Attempt Question 1 and another three (3) questions, four questions in all.
- 3. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 25marks while the other 3 questions carry 15marks each
- 4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner

Time Allowed: 2^{1/2} Hours

QUESTIONS:

- 1. a. What is Public Policy Analysis? (5 marks)
 - b. Discuss the relevance of Public Policy Analysis in the public governance. (12 marks)
 - c. List and discuss the aims of Policy Evaluation. (8 mark)
- 2. What are the functions of the legislature in Public Policy making? (15 marks)
- 3. List **all** the actors in Public Policy making and discuss **ONLY three** of these actors.

(15 marks)

- 4. List and discuss the **3 stages** of Public Policy making process. (**15 marks**)
- 5. Write short notes on the following: (15 marks)
 - a. Game Theory. (5 marks)
 - b. Zero Based Budgeting. (5 marks)
 - c. Cost benefit analysis (CBA) (5 marks)
- 6. Discuss Mega and Meta Policies and show their relevance in policy making and Analysis. (15 marks)

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