



CS PART III SECTION 6

PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION

FRIDAY: 25 May 2018.

Time Allowed: 3 hours.

Answer ALL questions. Marks allocated to each question are shown at the end of the question.

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Identify six roles of public administration. (6 marks)
- (b) Explain three reasons why the study of public policy is necessary to a society. (3 marks)
- (c) (i) Describe two types of policy analysis. (2 marks)
- (ii) Analyse three problems associated with policy evaluation in the third world countries. (3 marks)
- (d) Discuss six features of development administration. (6 marks)

(Total: 20 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) With reference to the law and regulations governing county governments in your country:
- (i) Describe six functions of the County Public Service Board. (6 marks)
- (ii) Explain six ways in which the national government might exercise control over the county governments. (6 marks)
- (b) Summarise four characteristics of public corporations. (4 marks)
- (c) Outline four similarities between public and private administration. (4 marks)

(Total: 20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Discuss five features of a poorly devolved government. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain four roles of political parties in public policy process. (4 marks)
- (c) Examine four forms of fiscal and financial discipline for effective implementation of public expenditure management system. (4 marks)
- (d) (i) Outline four aims of setting economic goals for government owned enterprises. (4 marks)
- (ii) Describe three key pillars of national development plan in your country. (3 marks)

(Total: 20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Suggest four reasons why policy analysis models are important. (4 marks)
- (b) Describe the role played by the legal framework governing public procurement in your country. (4 marks)
- (c) Examine four policy issues of public administration today. (4 marks)
- (d) Discuss four measures of achieving fairness in public procurement process. (8 marks)

(Total: 20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain four guiding principles to offering good leadership with integrity in public service. (4 marks)
 - (b) With reference to your country, examine six national values and principles of governance. (6 marks)
 - (c) Analyse six reasons why developing countries are keen on adopting public private partnerships. (6 marks)
 - (d) Describe four challenges that might be faced by governments in implementing privatisation policy. (4 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**
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