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CONFLICT TRANSFORMATION: HPG 107

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EXAMINATION

TIME 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer all questions in **SECTION A** and any **TWO** questions from **Section B**

Each question carries 100 marks.

Candidates are required to use relevant examples in answering essay questions

SECTION A (Compulsory)

There are certain violent contemporary conflicts that are protracted, and thereby cross repeatedly in and out of violence, thus defying models of conflict phases and trajectory. Such violent conflicts usually occur between social collectives in a social system and are therefore called protracted social conflicts.

1a. Briefly explain why conflict transformation is regarded as the most appropriate mechanism for protracted social conflicts. (10)

1b. Illustrate the **FOUR** preconditions which lead to protracted social conflicts according to Edward Azar. (40)

SECTION B

2. Examine the view effectiveness of non violence as an approach to conflict transformation.
3. Illustrate the importance of nation building in transforming post conflict scenarios.
4. Discuss the demerits of endogenous methods in conflicts transformation at community level.

5. Analyse the role of forgiveness in promoting positive peace

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