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BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION IN POLICE AND SECURITY STUDIES

COURSE : PUBLIC POLICY AND POLICY ANALYSIS

CODE : PS203

TIME ALLOWED : 3HOURS

TOTAL MARKS : 100

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1 There are 6 questions answer any 4 questions.
- 2 Each question carries 25marks.
- 3 Cell phones are not allowed in the examination room.
- 4 Begin each answer on a new page.

QUESTION ONE

Briefly explain the following terms as they relate to the field of public policy.

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| (a) Systemic Agenda | (5) |
| (b) Policy Design | (5) |
| (c) Hypothetico- Evolutionary Model | (5) |
| (d) Substantive Policies | (5) |
| (e) Policy Entrepreneur | (5) |

[Total 25marks]

QUESTION TWO

Critique the following public policy models and state what you would do as a policy analyst to counter their demerits during the policy making process.

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| (a) Incremental Model | (12) |
| (b) Political Systems Theory | (13) |

[Total 25marks]

QUESTION THREE

Discuss how the globalisation of Public Policy has become inevitable during the COVID-19 pandemic. **[25marks]**

QUESTION FOUR

Prescribe how Police Policy can be reviewed to incorporate best practices when policing during pandemics like COVID-19. **[25marks]**

QUESTION FIVE

With the aid of examples, examine how the COVID-19 pandemic has brought greater calls for the transformation of Sentencing Policy. **[25marks]**

QUESTION SIX

Social Policy should be pursued as a matter of natural justice, of ethics, economic and political needs, but not as a matter of crime reduction (Radzinowicz 2007). Discuss. **[25marks]**

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