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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, MAY, 2007

TITLE OF PAPER:

MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

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TIME ALLOWED:

TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN SECTION

"A".

2. ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS FROM SECTION "B".

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SECTION "A"

QUESTION 1

- (a) Define the terms i) Public ii) Enterprise iii) Public enterprise.
- (b) Identify and describe the three essential factors of the public dimension of a public enterprise. [25 marks]

QUESTION 2

Identify the performance indicators in any public enterprise and discuss both improvement and obstacles. Draw a case from Swaziland. [25 marks]

SECTION "B"

OUESTION 3

Identify and discuss problems encountered by managers of public enterprises in Africa in general and Swaziland in particular. [25 marks]

QUESTION 4

Describe the relationship between ethics and business; and business ethics in public enterprise. [25 marks]

QUESTION 5

What are the four major objectives of performance improvement of a public enterprise and explain how its performance is assessed. [25 marks]