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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS AND MANAGEMENT 2010 FINAL EXAMINATION

TITLE OF PAPER:

MANAGEMENT THORY AND PRACTICE IN

EDUCATION

COURSE CODE:

EDF 635

TIME ALLOWED:

THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. THIS QUESTION PAPER IS DIVIDED INTO TWO

SECTIONS. SECTION 1 IS COMPULSORY 2. ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS IN SECTION 2

3. THE TOTAL FOR THE PAPER IS 100 MARKS.

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SECTION 1

This section is compulsory

QUESTION 1

Using your knowledge and understanding of the typology of management and leadership models, analyse the different approaches used by any educational institution or school you are familiar with in the Swaziland context.

(40 Marks)

SECTION 2

Answer TWO questions from this section

QUESTION 2

Analyse Peter Senge's vision of a learning organisation and explain how that concept of schools as learning organisations can be applied by educational leaders and managers to enhance the effectiveness of schools

(30 Marks)

QUESTION 3

Implementation of educational reforms is easier said than done. Using the Swaziland education system, explain the causes for failure in planned educational change and how change agents and transformational leaders can influence those causes.

(30 Marks)

QUESTION 4

Project a career path in educational administration for yourself. For example, deputy head teacher, principal, and inspector of education, education management consultant or any position of your choice.

Use the following questions as your guide to effective leadership:

- What traits are needed for the position?
- Do the traits and skills for the position complimentary or in conflict with each other?
- How would you propose to exploit the complimentary aspects?
- How would you propose to resolve the conflicts?

(30 Marks)