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FINAL EXAMINATION

TITLE OF PAPER

CONTEMPORARY APPROACHES TO ADMINISTRATION

COURSE CODE

EFM 604

TWO HOURS

TIME ALLOWED INSTRUCTIONS

- i. The paper is divided into two sections
- ii. Both questions in section A are compulsory
- iii. Answer two questions in section B
- iv. The total mark is 100

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SECTION A

Questions in this section are compulsory

QUESTION 1

Write short notes on each of the following notions of teacher motivation:

- 1. "Teacher motive" (5 marks)
- 2. "Teacher motivation" (6 marks)
- 3. The motivational effect of teachers to engagement in "goal-directed activities" (3 marks)
- 4. The effect of repeated blockage of a teacher from reaching "goal activities" (3 marks)
- 5. The motivational effect of a "valued performance-related reward" (3 marks)

20marks

QUESTION 2

- a) Discuss the propositions of Maslow's theory of motivation (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the five categories of needs prescribed by Maslow (5 marks)
- c) Highlight the implications of each of the categories of needs for school administration in Eswatini (15 marks)

30 marks

SECTION B

Select two questions from this section

QUESTION 3

- (a) Define the term "decision-making" (1 mark)
- (b) Highlight the eight steps involved in the rational decision making (8 X 2marks = 16 marks)
- (c) Briefly discuss the autocratic, consultative and group processes proposed by Vroom and Yelton in the educational decision-making process (3 x 2 marks = 6 marks)

25 marks

QUESTION 4

Discuss any one of the following two leadership theories

- 1. Contingency theory with specific focus on Fiedler, Hersey and Blanchard and Path-Goal theory
- Behavioural theory with specific focus on Ohio Studies, Michigan Studies and Leadership Grid

25 Marks

QUESTION 5

- a) List the seven leader's action logics propounded by Rooke and Torbert (2011:137), published in *On Leadership* published by Harvard Business Review Press (7 action logics x 1 mark = 7 marks)
- b) Highlight **two characteristics** of each of the seven action logics. (one mark per characteristic = 7 x 2 marks = **14 marks**)
- c) <u>Briefly explain</u> one of the seven action logics that best describes you as a 'school leader' (4 marks).

25 Marks