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TITLE OF PAPER:

ADMINISTRATION OF DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE :

PA 405

TIME ALLOWED:

THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. ANSWER FOUR (4) QUESTIONS; TWO (2) FROM EACH SECTION.

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF 25.

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SECTION A

- 1. Define the term 'development' and examine the changes that have occurred in its definition and meaning over the last several decades.
- 2. Examine the successes and failures of African independence.
- 3. Discuss the main features, strengths and weaknesses of the Harrod Domar growth model.
- 4. Define the term 'multi-national corporation' (MNC) and examine the characteristics that make MNCs unique and a force to be reckoned with in international economic relations.

SECTION B

- 5. Define 'development planning' and discuss its significance in the development policies and strategies of African countries.
- 6. Examine the administrative obstacles to development planning in Swaziland and suggest measures for addressing them.
- 7. Examine the main features of economic structural adjustment programmes (ESAPS) as well as the problems that are often encountered in the implementation of such programmes.
- 8. HIV/AIDS poses one of the most serious problems and challenges towards development in Sub-Saharan Africa. Discuss.