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TITLE OF PAPER : **ADMINISTRATION OF DEVELOPMENT: YEAR IV**

COURSE CODE : **PA405**

TIME ALLOWED : **THREE (3) HOURS**

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

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF TWENTY FIVE (25).

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SECTION A

QUESTION 1

Define 'development' and trace the evolution of the meaning of the term from the 1950s onwards.

QUESTION 2

Discuss the key features of the Rostowian thesis and determine the extent to which it is adequate in explaining the process of development and underdevelopment in Third World countries.

QUESTION 3

Define 'development administration' and examine its successes and failures.

QUESTION 4

The most fundamental aspect of post-independence Africa has been the elusiveness of development. Discuss.

SECTION B

QUESTION 5

Define the term 'multinational corporation' and discuss the unique characteristics that render multinational corporations (MNCs) a force to be reckoned with in international economic relations.

QUESTION 6

Discuss the main features of Economic Structural Adjustment Programmes (ESAPs) and examine their effects on the economies of African countries.

QUESTION 7

What is meant by 'globalization' and what effects, both positive and negative, has this phenomenon had on the economies of African countries?

QUESTION 8

Examine the effects of the HIV/AIDS pandemic on Swaziland's socio-economic development.