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TITLE OF PAPER : PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS

COURSE CODE : PA 308

TIME ALLOWED : TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS :

- 1. ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS.**
- 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.**

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1. Discuss the main features and or characteristics of the public sector and comment on their significance in the study of public policy.
2. Compare and contrast the systems and institutional approaches to the study of public policy and the policy-making process.
3. Examine the reasons behind the increasing chorus that calls for the accountability and control of public bureaucracies in African countries.
4. Analyze the nature of the socio-economic and political environment in Swaziland showing, inter alia, how such an environment impacts on public policy.