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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, DECEMBER 2017

TITLE OF PAPER : ADMINISTRATION OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE : PAD303

TIME ALLOWED : TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS :

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

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GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR.**

1. Discuss the main objectives and goals of rural development and distinguish them from those of agricultural development.
2. Examine the key features of the subsistence definition of poverty and comment on its theoretical shortcomings.
3. Define the term 'North/South divide' and discuss the nature and extent of inequalities and inequities between the developed and underdeveloped countries in terms of what has been referred to as the 'politics of food'.
4. Discuss the extent to which poverty and underdevelopment in Swaziland affect women and children.