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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER: MAY 2019

TITLE OF PAPER: PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS

COURSE CODE: PA 308

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS;**
- 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF TWENTY FIVE (25) EACH**

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QUESTION 1

Distinguish between the sectorial and value delivery mixes of public policy and then discuss the four ways of conceptualising policy instruments that are suggested by Bridgman and Davis.

QUESTION 2

Outline the characteristics of the institutional and incremental approaches to policy making and then discuss the strengths and weaknesses of each approach.

QUESTION 3

Discuss the following stages of the policy cycle in detail;

- ❖ Problem identification
- ❖ Agenda setting
- ❖ Issue framing
- ❖ Policy formulation

QUESTION 4

What is policy implementation and what are the main conditions for effective policy implementation?