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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER, JULY 2019

TITLE OF PAPER: FOREIGN POLICY ANALYSIS

COURSE CODE: POL406

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTION: 1. ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS
OF 50 EACH

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1. Examine the relevance of Foreign Policy Analysis (FPA) to the study of global politics.
2. Critically discuss the structural influences on foreign policy choices of states.
3. Critically assess the conceptual assumptions of the Rational Actor Model of decision-making.
4. Discuss the impact of the psychological environment on states' preferences.
5. The liberal state constitutes the critical 'transmission belt' by which the preferences and social power of individuals and groups are translated into foreign policy [Reu-Smith and Snidal, 2008]. Discuss