

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA Plot 91 Cadastral Zone Nnamdi Azikiwe Express Way, Jabi-Abuja FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION 2019 2 EXAMINATION

Course Code: PAD 444 Credit Unit: 3

Course Title: NIGERIA LOCAL GOVERNMENTR ADMINISTRATION

Time Allowed: 2^{1/2} HOURS

Instructions:

1. Attempt Question 1 and any Other Three (3) Questions.

2. Question 1 is Compulsory and Carries 25 marks while the Other Three (3)

Questions Carry 15 marks each.

3. Present all your points in a coherent and orderly manner.

1a. Give a definition of Local Government.

1b. Discuss Five (5) reasons for the establishment of Local Government.

Total= 25 Marks

2. Identify and Explain Two (2) Local Government Theories highlighting their main postulations.

15 Marks

- **3.** List and explain six (6) Functions of Local Government. 15 Marks
- **4.** According to Eneanya, A.N. (2012), "Finance is the Bedrock of any Organization". Discuss any Five (5) ways through which Revenue Generation can be improved in the Local Governments. 15 Marks
- **5**. Identify and discuss any Five (5) problems of Local Governments in Nigeria. 15 Marks
- 6. List and explain Five (5) functions of the Local Government Service Commission. 15 Marks