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COURSE CODE: PAD 403 **CREDIT UNIT: 3**
COURSE TITLE: DEMOCRATIC STUDIES
TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours

Instructions:

- 1. Attempt question number One (1) and any other three (3).**
- 2. Question number 1 is Compulsory and carries 25 marks, While the other questions carry 15 marks each.**
- 3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner**

QUESTION 1

What is an electoral system and what is its essential tasks in emerging democracies.=====25 marks .

QUESTION 2

Who are the masses, why are they relevant in political systems. =====15 marks

QUESTION 3

Discuss the relevance of a political culture in modern electoral systems. =====15 marks

QUESTION 4

Define the term democracy? =====5 marks

What are the features of modern democracies? =====10 marks

Total=15 marks

QUESTION 5

With sufficient reasons, recommend the most appropriate electoral system for Nigeria. =====15marks.

QUESTION 6

What are the stipulated features in democratic electoral systems? =====15marks.