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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
2021_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PAD 784

COURSE TITLE: Comparative Public Administration

CREDIT UNITS: 2

TIME ALLOWED: 2hrs

INSTRUCTION: 1. Attempt Question 1 and any other two (2) Questions.

2. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks while the other questions carry 20 marks each. 3. Present all your points in a coherent and orderly manner.

1a. Discuss the contributions of comparative study in Public Administration according to T.N. Chaturvedi. (10 marks)

1b. Discuss the roles of bureaucracy in nation building. (20 marks)

2. Explain significant features of the civil service according to Ipinlaye, 2001. (20 marks)

3a. Explain the shift from normative approach towards more empirical approaches.
(10 marks)

3b. Explain the main characteristics of New Public Management. (10 marks)

4. Compare bureaucracy in Britain with that of France in the following areas:
(a) Recruitment. (b) Training. (c) Promotion. (d) Retirement (5 marks each)