



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**  
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**FACULTY OF LAW**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC LAW**  
**2024 1 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE:** PUL743  
**COURSE TITLE:** ADMINISTRATIVE LAW  
**CREDIT UNIT:** 2  
**TIME ALLOWED:** 3 HOURS

**Instruction: ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1) AND ANY OTHER THREE (3) QUESTIONS. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS (15 MARKS) EXCEPT QUESTION ONE (1) WHICH CARRIES 25 MARKS.**

1. The concept of Rule of Law exists to check the excesses of public administrators and government officials who inadvertently in the discharge of their duties, tend to be arbitrary and oppressive in negation of the laws of the land as enshrined in the constitution which ought to govern their operations. Discuss **(25 Marks)**
2. Identify and discuss at least **Five** characteristics of the Civil Service you know **(15 marks)**
3. Discuss any **Five** duties of the Civil Service Commission **(15 marks)**
4. State and discuss any **Five** functions of Local Government Council? **(15 marks)**
5. What is Separation of Powers and give examples. **(15 marks)**