



CS PART III SECTION 6

PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION

FRIDAY: 30 November 2018.

Time Allowed: 3 hours.

Answer ALL questions. Marks allocated to each question are shown at the end of the question.

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Analyse five benefits of public participation in governance. (5 marks)
 - (b) Describe five functions of the Judicial Service Commission. (5 marks)
 - (c) Examine four reasons for the vacation of office of a member of the Urban Areas and Cities Board. (4 marks)
 - (d) Summarise six features of the traditional public administration model. (6 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Explain six ways through which policy makers could be influenced by public opinion during public policy implementation. (6 marks)
 - (b) Enumerate four functions of the Public Procurement Advisory Board in your country. (4 marks)
 - (c) With reference to the history of public administration, examine six elements of the New Public Management (NPM). (6 marks)
 - (d) Analyse four reasons for the growing importance of public administration today. (4 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Explain four roles of civil society organisations in public policy and administration in a state. (4 marks)
 - (b) With reference to county governments, summarise five operational challenges faced by the County Public Service Boards. (5 marks)
 - (c) Discuss five ways in which the government might intervene to create a conducive environment for Public Private Partnership. (5 marks)
 - (d) In the context of national values, leadership and integrity in your country, describe six ways in which state and public officers are required to conduct their work when serving the public. (6 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss six potential benefits of privatisation of government owned enterprises. (6 marks)
 - (b) Summarise eight challenges that might be encountered in the implementation of public policies in your country. (8 marks)
 - (c) Describe the phases of the public policy making process. (6 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain five principles of devolution as outlined in the constitution. (5 marks)
 - (b) Analyse four roles of budget as a policy instrument. (4 marks)
 - (c) Examine six characteristics of public service in your country. (6 marks)
 - (d) With reference to public administration, suggest five features of bad governance. (5 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**