### UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

### FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

## DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STUDIES SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER, JULY 2014

TITLE OF PAPER : PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS

COURSE CODE : PA308

TIME ALLOWED : TWO (2) HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS** :

#### 1. ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS.

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.

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1. Identify the basic differences in the definition and meaning of the term 'public policy' as proposed by Thomas Dye and James Anderson.

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- 2. Public organizations, unlike those in the private sector, must usually operate within an environment that is equivalent to a gold fish bowl. Discuss.
- 3. With particular reference to Swaziland, examine the influence of the political environment on public policy.

4. Discuss the problems and challenges facing public policy formulation and implementation in African countries.