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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER, JULY 2016

TITLE OF PAPER : ADMINISTRATION OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE : PA305

TIME ALLOWED : THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS :

- 1. ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS.**
- 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.**

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GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR.**

1. By its very nature, rural development in Africa has a distinct agenda. Discuss.
2. Define the term 'Third World' and discuss the basic socio-economic differences among Third World countries.
3. Define the term 'North/South Divide' and discuss the nature and extent of inequalities and inequities between the developed and underdeveloped countries in terms of what has been referred to as 'politics of food'.
4. Discuss the main features of the subsistence definition of poverty and comment on its theoretical inadequacies.
5. The slave trade inaugurated the first real pattern of labour migration and population displacement in the world. Discuss.
6. The imposition of colonial rule was not without serious socio-economic and political consequences for African countries. Discuss.
7. Define absolute poverty and discuss its dimensions and extent within the context of Swaziland's development experience.
8. The goals and objectives of development in Swaziland will be difficult, if not impossible, to accomplish unless women are integrated into the formulation and implementation of development programmes and projects. Discuss.