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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. The study of public policy is anchored on numerous factors, reasons and or considerations. Discuss.
2. Discuss the main features of the elite approach to the study of public policy and comment on its strengths and weaknesses.
3. Examine the nature of the socio-economic and political environment in Africa showing, inter alia, its impact on public policy.
4. Early in the 20th century, particularly during the formative years of Public Administration, it was argued that there exists a distinction or dichotomy between policy formulation and policy implementation. Discuss.