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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For the following qualifications :-

M. Sc.

ESGD4: Development Administration: Theory, Method and Experience

COURSE CODE : ENVSGD04

DATE : 17-DEC-01

TIME : 14.30

TIME ALLOWED : 3 hours

PAPER ENVSGD04: Development Administration: Theory, Method and Experience (2001/02 Session)

DURATION: 3 hrs.

**This paper consists of eight questions. Answer THREE questions only.
All questions carry equal marks.**

1. Explore the changing meaning of the term 'development administration'. Why do we continue to use the term today?
2. What measures can be taken to fight corruption? Is a certain level of corruption inevitable?
3. Analyse the coalition which has grown up in favour of decentralisation. Are the aims of this coalition ultimately compatible?
4. Discuss the concept of the 'project cycle'. Why did it become so popular with foreign donors?
5. Discuss different possible types of participation. Why has participation become so important in the planning process?
6. What do you understand by the term New Public Management? To what extent do you think the concept can be implemented in practice?
7. Is civil service reform essential if a country is to develop? Illustrate your answer with examples.
8. Discuss the various solutions for failing state owned enterprises. Is there a role for such organisations in the future?

END OF PAPER