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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualification:-

M.Sc.

ESGU2: Urban Policy, Planning and Management Theory and Practice 1 & 2

COURSE CODE : **ENVSGU02**

DATE : **17-DEC-02**

TIME : **14.30**

TIME ALLOWED : **3 Hours**

PAPER ENVSGUO2: Urban Policy, Planning and Management: Theory & Practice

DURATION: 3 Hours

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

1. Young (1990) distinguishes between an approach to social justice that emphasises distribution and one that emphasises decision-making. Discuss the implications for urban development planning of the distinction between these two approaches to social justice.
2. According to Harvey, the 'standard view' of environment management is that "...no general environmental concerns should stand in the way of 'progress'... and any 'after the event' environmental difficulties can be effectively cleaned up if need be" (Harvey, 1996:71). Discuss this statement from the point of view of one planning approach of your choice.
3. Compare the treatment of rationality in the rational comprehensive approach to planning and the communicative approach to planning.
4. Take a case of your choice and identify the approach to planning in it, discussing its underlying assumptions about society, the state and planning.
5. Compare the treatment of participation in two planning approaches of your choice. Give examples to illustrate your arguments.
6. Discuss the relationship between urban planning, urban management and urban governance. Use examples to illustrate your arguments.

END OF PAPER