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**FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND POLITICAL SCIENCE
FIRST SEMESTER 2021/2022
[JUNE-SEPTEMBER, 2022]**

BPPS 125: POLITICS OF DEVELOPMENT

STREAM: Y1 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: FRIDAY, 9:00 – 11:00 AM

DATE: 09/09/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.***

QUESTION ONE

- According to the critiques of dependency theory, dependency is the precursor of underdevelopment in developing countries. Discuss the above assumptions. (15 marks)
- Discuss the assumptions of modernization theory and its relevance to the politics of development in the contemporary society (15 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Colonial imperialism promoted underdevelopment in third world countries. Discuss the above assumptions. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Examine the role of globalization in economic and political development in the contemporary world. (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Examine the relevance of Rostow's stages of development to the contemporary political systems citing relevant examples. (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Identify and discuss causes of underdevelopment in developing countries. (20 marks)