

# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

# FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE CERTIFICATE IN CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES SECOND SEMESTER 2023/2024 [JAN - APRIL, 2024]

CCRS 0025: INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION

STREAM: Y1 S2 TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: FRIDAY, 12:00 - 2:00 P.M. DATE: 19/04/2024

# **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Do not write anything on this question paper.

2. Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

## **QUESTION ONE**

i) Explain the nature and meaning of public policy

(6 Marks)

ii) Explain why we study public policy

(12 Marks)

- iii) Comment with examples on:
  - a) Distributive policies;
  - b) b) Re-distributive policies; c) Regulatory policies; d) Symbolic policies

(12 Marks)

#### **QUESTION TWO**

i) Explain the key elements in public policy analysis

(10 Marks)

ii) Evaluate the relationship between policy-making and policy-analysis

(10 Marks)

# **QUESTION THREE**

i) Enumerate with examples approaches used as tools of policy analysis.

(10 Marks)

ii) Describe the arguments that public policies could be categorized into substantive and procedural. (10 Marks)

# **QUESTION FOUR**

- i) Describe any one model of your choice that is used to understand public policy (5 Marks)
- ii) Explain how your choice of model could be used to study public policy analysis (15Marks)

# **QUESTION FIVE**

- i) Explain the stages in public policy process (10 Marks)
- ii) Critically assess the statement that Public Policy Analysis could be described as inter-disciplinary in nature. (10Marks)

# **QUESTION SIX**

- i) Describe the problems policy analysts face in developing effective policy in developing countries (10 Marks)
- ii) Explain how interest groups contribute to policy formation of public policy (10 Marks)