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2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

COURSE CODE: CSS877

COURSE TITLE: SECURITY OBJECTIVES AND INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOLS

CREDIT UNIT : 3

TIME ALLOWED : 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION : Answer any **four** question.

1 a Attempt a definition of the concept of state security **7marks**

b. How would you assess the effectiveness of International protocol with respect to the proliferation of arms and weapons in Nigeria:
10.5marks

2 Explain the following key components of state security
17.5marks

1. National security
2. Human security
3. Economic security
4. Environmental security

3 List the four case value as presented by Nigerian National Security Strategy (NNSS,2019)

7.5marks

b Explain the focus of the NNSS on the protection of critical national assets and Infrastructure **10marks**

4 Discuss the concept of Security Studies **8marks**

b. In what ways have the advent of Neorealism influence the study of security studies?
9.5marks

5. “War can be a catalyst for a paradigm shift (Ikoh, 2018). Discuss your understanding of this statement with respect to the American Civil war (1861 – 1865)
17.5marks