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2025_1 EXAMINATION...**

COURSE CODE: MPA 856

COURSE TITLE: Urban and Regional Planning

CREDIT UNITS: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3Hrs

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Attempt four (4) questions in All, Question one (1) and any other three (3)**
- 2. Question number 1 is compulsory and carries 25marks, while the other questions carry 15 marks each**
- 3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner**

Q1a Enumerate five major characteristics of a State (5 Marks)

Q1b How would you justify Nigeria as a National-state (10 Marks)

Q1c Name the Geo-political zones and states that make them up (10 marks)

Q2a List and explain any two theories of leadership (15 marks)

Q3a What are the roles of public policies in disaster management (10 marks)

Q3b State the functions of an effective leader. (5 marks)

Q4a State five problems of rural-urban migration (5 marks)

Q4b Outline five functions of the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) as conferred by the ACT (10 marks)

Q5a Outline the factors responsible for change in the nature of Municipal functions (10marks)

Q5b Identify the early features of urban development in both Northern and Southern Nigeria (5 marks)