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2025_2 EXAMINATIONS**

COURSE CODE: PAD 724

COURSE TITLE: Public Enterprise Management

CREDIT UNITS: 2

TIME ALLOWED: 2 Hrs

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Attempt three (3) questions in All, Question one (1) and any other two (2)**
- 2. Question number 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks, while the other questions carry 20 marks each**
- 3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner**

Q1a State five objectives of public enterprises (10 Marks)

Q1b Public Enterprises cover a wide spectrum of activities in many areas of production and services. List five activities **each** in the areas of production and services covered (10 Marks)

Q1c Enumerate five characteristics of Public Enterprises (10 marks)

Q2a State and explain the Classification of Public enterprises by Legal consideration (10marks)

Q2b Discuss the Theory of Principal and Agent (10 marks)

Q3a Public enterprises are faced with challenges in Nigeria. Discuss four problems of Public Enterprises (10 marks)

Q3b State and explain the various sources of funding available to public enterprises (10 marks)

Q4a Mention five Principles of Public Sector Reforms? (5 marks)

Q4b Privatization has been controversial. State 3 arguments **each** for and against privatization (15 marks)