



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF LAW
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC LAW
2025_1 EXAMINATION...

COURSE CODE: PUL337
COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATIVE LAW
CREDIT UNIT: 2
TIME ALLOWED: 2 ½ HOURS

Instruction: ANSWER QUESTION 1 (ONE) AND ANY OTHER 3 QUESTIONS.
ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS (15 MARKS) EXCEPT
QUESTION 1 WHICH CARRIES 25 MARKS.

QUESTIONS:

- (a) What is constitution, and why constitution in a State?
 - (b) What is, 'Declaration' in administrative law?
 - (c) What is the central reason or ground upon which the court may grant the application for mandamus?
2. With reference to the relevant sections of the Constitution, briefly discuss how the executive gets and exercise its powers
 3. Concisely discuss the importance of administrative adjudication body or tribunal in the complex nature of the modern government?
 4. As an administrative law expert, identify and succinctly discuss the vital grounds upon which the superior court may grant an order of Certiorari.
 5. (a) Identify any five circumstances that will operate to limit the application/granting of the order of mandamus
(b) Cite without discussion, any two case laws involving mandamus as you were taught
 6. State and explain any **FIVE** demerits of '*Delegated Legislation*'.