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THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF: 3 pages

Instructions to students:

1. Write the number of each question answered clearly in the space provided on the cover of the examination answer book.
 2. Begin each answer on a new page.
 3. Begin each section on a separate answer book (Section A and B must be written in separate answer books).
 4. Number your answers exactly as the questions are numbered.
 5. The general University of Johannesburg policies, procedures and rules pertaining to written assessments apply to this assessment.
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SECTION A: GOVERNMENT, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Ms. S Mavee and Dr. D. Ukwandu

Answer any TWO QUESTIONS from Section A

QUESTION 1 – (25 Marks)

Explain the concept of a 'green economy' and pay specific attention to the critical interface between a green economy and sustainable development.

QUESTION 2 – (25 Marks)

Clarify sustainable development and Environmental Impact Assessment then identify and explain the different steps in the Environmental Impact Assessment process.

QUESTION 3 – (25 Marks)

Explain the concept of a 'developmental state' and explore South Africa as a developmental state with specific reference to:

- a) Historical legacies;
- b) capacity of the state;
- c) building social cohesion and nation-building;
- d) rule of law and
- e) economic growth

SECTION B: INTRODUCTION TO ETHICS MANAGEMENT IN GOOD GOVERNANCE

Ms. S Mavee and Mr. Tshilidzi Sithomola

Answer any TWO QUESTIONS from Section B

QUESTION 4 – (25 Marks)

Discuss 'codes of conduct' with regard to the following aspects:

- a) The necessity of codes of conduct
- b) The value of a code of conduct
- c) The objectives of ethical performance
- d) The nature of a code of conduct
- e) The prerequisites for a code of conduct
- f) Codes of conduct as a preventative and deterrent measures

QUESTION 5 – (25 Marks)

Describe the relationship between ethics and the traditional principles of Public Administration. Pay specific attention to the following:

- a) Maintenance of fairness and reasonableness
- b) Maintenance of the democratic requirement
- c) Maintenance of public accountability
- d) Parliamentary sovereignty
- e) Maintenance of economy, effectiveness and efficiency

QUESTION 6 – (25 Marks)

Explain the origin and nature of professionalism in detail.

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