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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualification:-

M.Sc.

ESGB8: Participatory Processes for Urban Transformation

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PAPER ENVSGB08:

Participatory Processes for Urban Transformation

DURATION

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This paper consists of five questions. Answer THREE questions only. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. What is the usefulness of indices in measuring participation in projects?
- 2. Can participation be equally beneficial for all who take part? Use a case study to illustrate your answer.
- 3. How do participatory techniques differ from conventional ones? Illustrate by referring to a stage of the project cycle.
- 4. Only by insisting on the use of participation for all projects can participation be an everyday part of the development processes. Discuss.
- 5. Does the process of participation justify the products of participation? Give examples from a case study.
- 6. Do large groups reduce the chance for any genuine participation? What measures can be taken to assure participation?
- 7. "As long as projects are supply-driven there can be no real participation." Discuss with examples from case studies.
- 8. Does participation need a democratic environment to flourish or is participation necessary to nurture democracy?

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