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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualification:-

M.Sc.

ESGU2: Urban Policy, Planning and Management Theory and Practice 1 & 2

COURSE CODE : ENVSGU02

DATE

: 16-DEC-03

TIME

: 14.30

TIME ALLOWED : 3 Hours

PAPER ENVUO2:

URBAN POLICY, PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT: THEORY AND

PRACTICE

DURATION:

3 Hours

This paper consists of six questions. Please answer THREE questions only. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Critically discuss the way in which the principle of social justice can be operationalised in urban development planning practice. Give examples to illustrate your arguments.
- 2. Critically discuss whether the notion of 'the public interest' is a useful concept in urban development planning. Use examples to illustrate your argument.
- 3. Compare and contrast the way participation is dealt with by the advocacy and collaborative approaches to planning. Use examples to illustrate your argument.
- 4. Discuss the likely policy basis for planning in a city planning case of your choice, explaining the reasons how this might have influenced the adoption of a particular planning approach.
- In your opinion, which planning approaches have the best chance of addressing urban inequality and why? Use examples to illustrate your arguments.
- 6. It has been argued that "the disentanglement of urban management from the neo-liberal paradigm" (Werna, 1995, p 358) is essential to its future survival. Discuss the validity of this argument in the light of contemporary urban conditions.

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