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FIS 512: Fisheries Policy and Legislation

INSTRUCTION: Answer Three (3) Questions with at least one question from each section

TIME: 2 Hours

SECTION A

1. What is a Fisheries Institute? Discuss the establishment and operations of at least two fisheries institutes in Nigeria.
- 2 (a). Give the correct citation of the most recent Decree that deals with the inland fisheries in Nigeria.
(b). Discuss in concise form the essential features of the Decree.
- 3 (a). Define the term 'Conservation' as applied to fishery management of Nigerian Lake
(b). Discuss the strategies that can be adopted to reduce the problem of overfishing in Oyan Lake.

SECTION B

- 4 (a). List and discuss the various cross-sectoral policy integration involved in the devolution of fisheries policies.
(b). Construct a simple integrative system model of government, private sector, research institute and community led fishery policy development process.
- 5 (a). Evaluate on a step by step basis and criticize the agricultural policy of the Federal Government of Nigeria between 1999 – 2007.
(b). Using a simple systems model, demonstrate government led fisheries policy development process in Nigeria.

SECTION C

- 6 (a) List the coastal states of Nigeria
(b) What is the total coastal length of Nigeria in kilometers
(c) What are the breadths of the following in kilometers: (i) Territorial sea; (ii) Contiguous zone; (iii) Exclusive zone; (iv) Continental shelf; (v) give the new breadth of the EEZ proposed by the Federal government of Nigeria to the UN in 2008; (vi) What does Article 61 say about the conservation of the living resources in the EEZ?