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SEMESTER EXAMINATION

Programmes: **PGD**
Semester: **2nd**

Session: **2021-2022**
Course Code: **MEP 704**

Course Title: **Political Parties, Campaigns and Political Finance**

Instructions:

- i. Answer any Four (4) Questions, each question carries **17.5marks**
- ii. Time allowed: **3hours**
- iii. Write your **Name and Registration Number Only**
- iv. Orderly arrangement and good presentation of materials will be considered.
- v. Cross out any unused sheet(s) in your answer booklet before you submit it.

Question One

- (a) Explain the concept of Money Politics. **(5marks)**
- (b) To what extent is finance important to a political party? **(12.5marks)**

Question Two

Examine the form(s) of political exclusion among the non-elites arising from money politics in Nigeria fourth republic. **(17.5marks)**

Question Three

- (a) Enumerate the limiting factors in financing political parties privately. **(7.5marks)**
- (b) Itemise the global good practice for public and private financing of a political party. **(10marks)**

Question Four

Discuss the money swap policy of the Central Bank of Nigeria in the context of money politics and 2023 general elections. **(17.5marks)**

Question Five

Discuss the provisions in the 2022 electoral act viz-a-vis political party finance. **(17.5marks)**

Question Six

Give a chronological account of monetization of politics in contemporary Nigeria.

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