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SECOND OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER	
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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. This paper consists of three (3) questions. Answer any two (2) questions of your choice.
 - 2. Read the questions carefully.
 - 3. Number your answers clearly and correctly.
 - 4. Please write legibly.

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PERMISSIBLE MATERIALS: NONE

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 2 PAGES including the cover page.

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS OF YOUR CHOICE

Question 1

The Economic Reform Programmes or Structural Adjustment Programmes of the 1980's were aimed at strengthening and rebuilding the newly independent economies as per the ideology of the International Financial Institutions. Although, Namibia was fortunate not to have experienced the economic atrocity of economic policies imposed on most African countries at independence, the economic situation of the country is changing significantly, causing concern for the economy to sustain itself. Considering Namibia's current budget deficit and economic challenges, critically analyse the impact of Economic Reform Programmes on Namibia's development agenda. In addition, provide relevant and applicable recommendations. [50]

Question 2

In the early 1960-1980 the understanding of development was purely based on the positive transformation in the socio-economic circumstances of people. This narrow understanding of development was replaced by the people-centred conception in the early 1980s with its main intention of allowing the affected communities to meaningfully participate in the decision- making process. Some advocates have argued that participation can be regarded as a means to empowerment, whilst others have argued that participation is in itself empowerment. Which of the two views in your opinion is most appropriate in the understanding of people-centred development and why?

Question 3

The dependency and world system perspectives have been justifiably critical in the development approaches in Africa. While these perspectives hold relevance to Africa, the social and psychological dimensions that would impact on such perspectives should be carefully considered. Analyse the implications of the social and psychological dimensions in Africa on the practical and effective implementation of the dependency and world system theories in Africa. [50]

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