GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY
GANDHINAGAR
Course: **Public Policy, Administration and Governance**
Semester-IV (Batch: 2015-20)

Mid Semester Test: Feb-Mar. 2017

Date: 4ᵗʰ March, 2017
Duration: 2 hours   **Max. Marks: 30**

Instructions:
- Read the questions properly and write the answers in the given answer book.
- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answers.
- No questions or clarifications can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.

Answer **any three** questions   **Marks**

Q.1 What are the major elements in the public policy making cycle and how do they interacted? (10)

Q.2 Public policies are primarily framed by the government to satisfy public needs and demands. They are the means by which, ends of a collective community are served. Without policy, government and administration are rudderless. Successful policies make for successful government and administration and hence there is saying that when the policy fails, the government fails. Write a critical elaborative essay with contemporary explains. (10)

Q.3 The essential consensus among policy analysis professionals is that the rational model of public policymaking represents the "ideal" model for understanding and analyzing public policy. Identify and define all stages the rational model of policy analysis, illustrating the stages using any public policy you would like. Do you agree with this consensus as described above? If so, why or why not? Thoroughly explain in your answer. (10)

Q.4 Is public administration an amalgam of various areas of study or a field unto itself? To what extent do you think public administration has to be more interdisciplinary, rather than relying on its traditional emphasis in political science and business management? (10)

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