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**GPY 424: Ecology of Natural Resources**

**Instruction**: Answer Question 1 and any other 2 questions **Time allowed**: 2hours

1. a. Explain the term environmental resources.

b. Using specific examples, describes the importance of wildlife as natural resource.

c. Outline five main problems plaguing wildlife management in Nigeria and suggest solutions.

1. Define ‘Tragedy of the Common’. Critically discuss the four possible resource regimes under this concept.
2. Critically discuss the impact of population growth on Nigerian environment with reference to natural resource management.
3. What is “Environmental Impact Assessment” (EIA)? Show step by step how you will carry out an EIA for road development in the forest belt of Nigeria.
4. Critically examine the factors militating against environmental conservation in Nigeria.