UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO – SRI LANKA FACULTY OF ARTS

THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION IN ARTS - SEMESTER I - 2017/2018

PSC 3142 - Public Policy and Administration

Time: Two (02) Hours

Answer any three (03) questions only.

Each answer will carry a maximum of twenty (20) marks.

- 1. Analyse the following:
 - i. Policy cycle;
 - ii. Advantages and disadvantages of using 'policy science' approach in public policy making.
- 2. Compare the role of the legislature in the public policy making process with reference to Sri Lanka and any other chosen country.
- 3. Illustrate the relationship between ethics and
 - i. Public policy;
 - ii. Public administration.
- 4. "Exclusion of diversity and ethnic consciousness in public policy making has led to conflict among different ethnic groups". Critically examine this statement.
- 5. Evaluate the importance of federalism in public policy and administration.
- 6. Write short notes on two (02) of the following:
 - i. Public policy and good governance
 - ii. The relationship between public policy and administration
 - iii. Public policy & democracy
 - iv. Public administration in Sri Lanka after the First Republican Constitution
