

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

Faculty of Arts University Village, Nnamdi Azikiwe Express, Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Jabi, Abuja 2021 2 EXAMINATION

Programme: B. A. Islamic Studies
Name of Subject: Islamic Studies

Course/Title: ISL 451: Major Şūfī Orders in Africa

2.0 Units Time Allowed: 2 hrs

Instruction to candidates: Answer any three questions

1. Give the synopsis of the life history of 'Abd al-Qādir al-Jilānī.

(23 Marks/40 Mins.)

2. Discuss the initiation and doctrines of the Qadiriyyah Sufi Order.

(23 marks/40 Mins.)

3. Explain in detail the beginning of the Tijāniyyah Sufi Order.

(23 marks/40 Mins.)

4. Critically examine the activities of the Shādhiliyyah as a Sufi Order in Nigeria.

(23 marks/40 Mins.)