

# The Co-operative University of Kenya

**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION DECEMBER-2018**

**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF CO-OPERATIVE  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**UNIT CODE: BCCD 4202**

**UNIT TITLE: CO-OPERATIVE AND INDUSTRIALIZATION**

**DATE: DECEMBER, 2018**

**TIME:**

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question **ONE (compulsory)** and any other **TWO** questions

## **QUESTION ONE**

- (a) Kenya's Vision 2030 is the national long-term development policy development from 2008 to 2030 that was launched on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2008. It aims to transform Kenya into a newly industrializing, middle-income country providing high quality of life to all its citizens by 2030 in a clean and secure environment. Discuss the role that the Co-operative Movement can play towards the achievement of vision 2030 (12 marks)
- (b) Explain the FOUR main agenda's in Kenya's flagship vision 2018-2022 (8 marks)
- (c) Explain the role of cooperative on Kenya Agenda FOUR (12 marks)

## **QUESTION TWO**

- (a) "Except in few cases, agricultural Cooperatives enterprises in Kenya have historically acted as collection and packaging centres of raw materials for industrialized countries rather than being manufacturing and marketing enterprises on their own right"  
With clear examples, discuss the above statement (10 marks)
- (b) Explain FOUR roles of production cooperative in Kenya (10 marks)

## **QUESTION THREE**

- (a) Managing an ordinary business enterprise successfully in challenging. Managing a Co-operative enterprise is more complex and more challenging. Discuss (12 marks)
- (b) How are cooperative is different from other enterprises (8 marks)

## **QUESTION FOUR**

Micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs) play an important role in the development of many underdeveloped countries including Kenya. However, MSMEs are oftentimes misunderstood, under-resourced and face many challenges

- (a) Explain the criteria used to categorize MSMEs in Kenya and apply it for each (6 marks)
- (b) Discuss the challenges facing MSMEs in Kenya (8 marks)
- (c) Explain how the challenges facing MSMEs in Kenya may be overcome (6 marks)

## **QUESTION FIVE**

- (a) Distinguish between a co-operative enterprise and a Co-operative Movement (6 marks)
- (b) With a clear diagram, explain the 4-tier structure of the Co-operative Movement in Kenya (6 marks)
- (c) Explain the functions of ICA (8 marks)