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**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF DISASTER
MANAGEMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

UNIT CODE: CODM 2306

UNIT TITLE: RURAL-URBAN DEVELOPMENT PLANNING

DATE:

TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS:

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

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Explain FIVE policy that a country should address in fostering Rural-urban development in lieu of strengthening food security and quality growth (10 marks)
- (b) The population growth rate in major cities in Kenya is raising development concern. Explain FIVE ways on what government should do for cities to accommodate the growing trend of over populated towns/cities (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Differentiate between industrialization, westernization and modernization as necessary elements of urbanization (6 marks)
- (b) Explain FIVE adverse effects of urbanization (10 marks)
- (c) Discuss FOUR characteristics of rural-urban communities (4 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Explain THREE objectives of development according to Todaro, (6 marks)
- (b) Rural-urban development planning is a very crucial component. Discuss the benefits of planning (4 marks)
- (c) Define the term economic growth (5 marks)
- (d) Elaborate on FIVE principles of planning (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) You have been assigned a task by Nakuru county government to assist them in developing the county development plan. Explain the THREE phases of regional planning process that you would apply on such assignment (15 marks)
- (b) Highlight FIVE challenges that affect regional planning (5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Bottom – up planning paradigm has been in the forefront in many countries. Giving examples, highlight FIVE areas where Kenya has been able to embrace such paradigm (10 marks)
- (b) Discuss duties and responsibilities of local town planners (10 marks)