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**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF DISASTER RISK
MANAGEMENT (YR II SEM II)**

UNIT CODE: CODM 2207

UNIT TITLE: FUNDAMENTALS OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

DATE: 13TH APRIL, 2016

TIME: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions.

QUESTION ONE

Explain the concept of “Development” in terms of: -

- a) Meaning of the concept development (5 Marks)
- b) Fasil Kiros view of development (13 Marks)
- c) Human rights perspective of development (12 Marks)

QUESTION TWO

Poverty persists in African countries such as Kenya despite enormous efforts made to overcome it:

Explain this assertion in terms of: -

- a) Meaning of the concept “Poverty” (3 Marks)
- b) Concepts associated with poverty (3 Marks)
- c) Robert Chambers characterization of poverty (7 Marks)
- d) Oscar Lewis characterization of poverty (7 Marks)

QUESTION THREE

Using relevant examples, explain Kenya’s Vision 2030 in terms of:

- a) The Vision’s goal and process of its preparation (5 Marks)
- b) The Vision’s key components (12 Marks)
- c) The Vision’s implementation (3 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Participation is one of the most important means of development. Explain this assertion by answering the following questions.

- a) What is participation? (4 Marks)
- b) Why is participation emphasized in development? (10 Marks)

- c) What are the levels of participation (3 Marks)
- d) How far has participation been realized in development? (3 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Gunther Frank used the dependency theoretical perspective to explain the situation of underdeveloped countries. Using Frank's view and other literature:

- a) Highlight the dependency theoretical perspective (5 Marks)
- b) Mumias sugar scheme (12 Marks)
- c) Interpret some of the aspects of the Mumias scheme in light of the dependency perspective (3 Marks)