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FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER 2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

SPECIAL/RESIT

COURSE CODE: AAE 3422

COURSE TITLE: AGRICULTURAL POLICY ANALYSIS

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: BSc. Agribusiness Management &

BSc. Horticulture

DATE: EXAM SESSION: 9.00 – 12.00 Noon

TIME: 3.00 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer ALL question in Section A (compulsory) and ANY other TWO questions in Section B.
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.

SECTION A

(30 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions in this section

- 1. Define the following terms as used in Agricultural policy analysis[8 marks]
 - a) Import substitution
 - b) Currency overvaluation
 - c) Food self sufficiency
 - d) Food security
- 2. Explain the externalist view of policy making.

[6 marks]

- 3. Highlight six (6) key policy areas that have been addressed by the Kenya's National Agricultural policy [6 marks]
- 4. Outline the major issues or challenges that have been addressed by the Agricultural Sector Policy 2015 [10 marks]

SECTION B

(40 Marks)

Answer ANY TWO Questions in this section

- 5. Explain the major challenges facing Kenya's Agricultural Sector and the corresponding policies which could adequately address the problems if they are implemented well [20 marks]
- 6. With relevant examples, explain why proper policy sequencing is so important if the expected goals of reforms are to be achieved [20 marks]
- 7. Discuss the pattern of government interventions in Kenya which culminated in an intense pressure for economic reforms since the 1980s. [20 marks]
- 8. Clearly outline the general steps followed in the formulation of agricultural policies [20 Marks]

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