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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN DEVELOPMENT AND POLICY STUDIES

4TH YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2017 DECEMBER EXAMS

MAIN CAMPUS (REGULAR)

Instructions:

1.Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and ANY other 2 questions

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.

1. (a). Explain the following concepts. (10Mks).
   i. Urban
   ii. Poverty
   iii. Urban Poverty
   iv. Poverty Alleviation
   v. Asset Vulnerability

   (b). How does Moser's (1998) view of urban poverty compare with views of scholars on urban poverty alleviation? (10Mks).

   (c). What are the causes of rapid urbanization in Kenya today? (10Mks).

2. Discuss the manifestations of urban poverty and how they can be alleviated. (20Mks).

3. (a). Identify any five vulnerable urban groups. (5Mks).

   (b) Discuss the various manifestations of vulnerability among the urban poor. (15Mks)

4. Explain various political approaches to tackling urban poverty at micro and macro levels. (20Mks).

5. Discuss livelihood coping strategies of the urban poor and the roles of relevant agents and institutions in urban poverty alleviation. (20Mks).