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SSO 306: GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

Date: DECEMBER 2021 Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any TWO Questions

Q1.

a) Explain measures put in place by the government of Kenya to guarantee equal opportunities in political participation between men and women.

(10marks)

b) Explain each of the following terms

(10marks)

- i) Gender equality
- ii) Gender equity
- iii) Gender parity
- iv) Stereotype
- v) Gender parity index
- c) Why is gender equality relevant to Development in society?. (10marks)

Q2.

a) Explain **FIVE** strategies that can be used to promote women participation in leadership

(10marks)

b) Explain **FOUR** ways in which education initiative can enhance gender equity in the society (10marks)

Q3.

a) Explain the factors that weaken the sensitization of gender issues in the society

(10marks)

b) Describe the **six** approaches of gender and development

(10marks)

- Q4. Public policies have been accused of hindering gender parity in public life. Citing examples substantiate this statement (20marks)
- Q5. 'Women undergo humiliating experience in their quest for political representation during political campaigns'. Discuss ways of addressing and preventing violence against women (20marks)

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