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MAIN EXAMINATION

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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

GEO 112: ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

DATE: April 2023 **Duration: 2 Hours** Instructions: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions Q1. a) Distinguish between the following terms i) Ecological and Ecosystem (4 Marks) ii) Environment and Conservation (4 Marks) iii) Pollutants and pollution (4 Marks) iv) Renewable and Non renewable resources (4 Marks) b) Explain the role of a biotic element in the environment (4 Marks) c) Write down environmental consequences of Air Pollution (5 Marks) d) Identify possible ways of sensitizing Kenya citizen about environment impact assessment (5 Marks) **O2.** a) Explain possible ways of controlling fast growth of aquatic vegetation (10 Marks)

b) Write down benefits of aquatic vegetation (5 Marks)

c) Briefly explain human activities that promote lose of diversity (5 Marks)

Q3.

a) Explain conditions that have led to the need for environmental conservation and (10 Marks) management

b) Identify the approaches used in teaching environmental education (10 Marks) **Q4**. a) Explain the impacts of global warning (8 Marks) b) Write down ways of combating desertification (6 Marks) c) Identify causes of O Zone layer depletion (4 Marks) Q5. a) Write down components of sustainable development (3 Marks) b) Briefly explain causes of our sustainability (6 Marks) c) Outline factor necessary for the realization of sustainable development (7 Marks) **Q6.** a) Explain the role of the environmental impact assessment (10 Marks) b) Identify the reason for constitutional zing environmental issues (10 Marks)

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