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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

**SDS 313 / SSW 200: HUMAN RIGHTS AND EMPOWERMENT / COMMON
GOOD**

Date: DECEMBER 2016

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and ANY OTHER TWO Questions

- Q1. i. Describe the four characteristics of human rights **(4 Marks)**
- ii. Discuss the three generations of human rights with examples **(6 Marks)**
- iii. Make short notes on Maslow's hierarchy of needs and rights **(10 Marks)**
- iv. Discuss how basic human rights have been protected in the Kenyan constitution **(10 Marks)**
- Q2 .i. Define empowerment **(2 Marks)**
- ii. Discuss three different approaches of empowerment **(6 marks)**
- iii. Comment on some of the marginalized groups in our society today **(6 marks)**
- iv. Affirmative action is geared to protect the marginalized, support this statement **(6 marks)**
- Q3. Death penalty should be abolished, give reasons for and against death penalty **(20arks)**
- Q4. i. Define affirmative action **(2 Marks)**

- ii. What are issues that affirmative action seeks to address **(8 marks)**
 - iii. Make notes on affirmative action as regards women, children, youth and the disabled **(10 marks)**
- Q5.
- i. What is a constitution **(2 Marks)**
 - ii. Discuss four types of constitutions **(8 Marks)**
 - iii. Make notes on the methodology of constitution making **(10 marks)**

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