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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

DSSW 204/SSO 205 / SDS 207/ SNT 407/: SOCIAL CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT

Date: DECEMBER 2020

Duration: *Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

1. a) Show how conflict can bring about social change. (5 Marks)
b) In what ways can invention and discovery bring about social change and how do they influence development? (5 Marks)
c) Elaborate on three social changes that have negatively affected the African moral standards
(5 Marks)
d) Show the social changes that arise in a region where the large part of the population comprise the youth (5 Marks)
e) Discuss the social changes brought about by the Covid 19 pandemic (10 Marks)
2. a) Analyze the social changes that can arise due to human fertility and show their effect on development. (10 Marks)
b) With relevant examples show how social change creates solidarity in a community.
(10 Marks)
3. a) Discuss the economic theory of social change (10 Marks)

b) Explain the social changes that arise due to insecurity along with their impact on development (10 Marks)

4. Define and discuss the concept “Social Change.” List and explain both the internal and external sources of social change. Provide well illustrated examples in your explanation. (20 marks)

5. Using examples of social, cultural, economic, and political transformations that have occurred in the African society over time, outline and critically discuss the characteristics of social change. (20 Marks)

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