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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE DEGREE OF
MASTERS IN PROJECT PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT
SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022
(JUNE-SEPTEMBER, 2022)

MPPM 825: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

STREAM: Y1 S2

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY: MONDAY, 9:00-12:00 PM

DATE: 00/10/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer Question ONE [Compulsory] and any other TWO Questions.***

QUESTION ONE

- a) Explain the following concepts used in environmental impact assessment. (10marks)
- i) Environmental audit
 - ii) Strategic environmental assessment
 - iii) Scoping
 - iv) Mitigation
- b) Discuss the importance of environmental impact assessment in development activities. (5marks)
- d) Discuss the important steps in the EIA process. (5marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss the role of community and public participation in environmental management. (10marks)
- b) Discuss the various strategies for management of environmental wastes. (10marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Discuss the parameters to be checked when reviewing the environmental assessment study report. (10marks)
- b) Discuss the key pointers that elucidate the importance of sustainable development. (10marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Discuss the current legal, regulatory, and institutional framework for Environmental management in Kenya. (20marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Discuss the major environmental issues in Kenya and their implications for development. (15marks)
- b) Discuss the social aspects of environmental management. (5marks)