

MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR SECOND YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER

SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT BSC. ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE: ENS 2204

COURSETITLE: SOCIETY, POVERTY AND

ENVIRONMENT

DATE: 25TH APRIL, 2019 TIME: 1430 - 1630HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

Answer Questions ONE and any other TWO questions

QUESTION ONE

Critically assess the significance of the human security approach to environmental management in the contemporary society. (30marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss **four** characteristics of human society. (10marks)
- b) Underscore the link between poverty and the environment. (10marks)

QUESTION THREE

"Poverty is the greatest pollutant affecting environment in Africa." Discuss **four** factors for the continent's endemic poverty and distress. **(20marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

"The System's approach to society is best suited for the eradication of poverty and promotion of social transformation." Assess the role that social institutions can play in fostering social transformation through environmental management in Kenya.

(20marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss any **four** principles of community based environmental conservation that may be used to promote sustainable environmental management in Sub Saharan Africa. (20marks)