



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION  
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR  
FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND NATURAL  
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FORESTRY**

**COURSE CODE: FOR 413**

**COURSE TITLE: FOREST POLICY AND LAW**

**DATE: 4<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018**

**TIME: 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Answer **ALL** questions in Section A (25 marks)
2. Answer any **THREE** questions from Section B (45 marks)

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## **SECTION A. ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS (25 MARKS)**

1. Define the following terms as used in Forest Policy and Law **(5 marks)**

- i. Bill
- ii. Policy
- iii. Contract
- iv. Law
- v. Legislation

2. Giving examples, compare and contrast the following: **(6 marks)**

- i. Law of Torts and Law of Contract
- ii. Intentional Torts and Negligent Torts
- iii. Criminal Law and Civil Law

3. Policies and laws can be initiated from different persons. Briefly describe some of the initiators of policy **(4 marks)**

4. Explain the importance of public participation in policy formulation and legislation process **(5 marks)**

5. Briefly describe some of the parties involved in the enactment of a Forest Law in Kenya **(5 marks)**

## **SECTION B. ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS (45 MARKS)**

6. Analyze the different stages in the enactment of Forest Conservation and Management Act 2016 **(15 marks)**

7. Briefly describe some of the sources of law in Kenya **(15 marks)**

8. Evaluate the strength and weakness of a forest policy in Kenya **(15 marks)**

9. Discuss the factors to consider in policy making process **(15 marks)**

10. Deforestation of Mau forest is due to weakness of the forest law and policy in Kenya. Discuss. **(15 marks)**

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