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# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS SEMESTER 2 - 2020/21 ACADEMIC YEAR FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BIORESOURCE CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT

COURSE CODE: SBC 427

COURSE TITLE: CURRENT AND EMERGING ISSUES IN BIORESOURCE

CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT

DATE: 21<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2022

TIME: 8.00 - 10.00 AM

# INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer question ONE [1] and ANY other TWO [2] questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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### Question 1

a) Outline 5 goals of conservation biology (5 marks)

b) List 5 challenges facing the discipline of environmental conservation (5 marks)

c) Discuss the best practices in the management of natural resources that cuts across nations (5 marks)

d) Discuss the importance of ecological monitoring (5 marks)

e) Outline 5 international conventions on biodiversity conservation (5 marks)

f) Describe the effect of climate change and global warming on bioresources (5 marks)

### Question 2

Discuss the roles of the following conservation bodies;

(20 marks)

- (i) Kenya Wildlife Services
- (ii) Kenya Forest Services
- (iii) Kenya Marine Authority
- (iv) National Environment Management Authority

### **Question 3**

Discuss the importance of creating public awareness on new trends and emerging issues in conservation of resources (20 marks)

# Question 4

Using relevant examples describe the various practical solutions to the challenges facing conservation and management of biodiversity in Kenya (20 marks)

### Question 5

Discuss the application of remote sensing techniques in monitoring of natural resources

(20 marks)