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KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMME (CEP) 2023/2024
EXAMINATION FOR POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION

EFD/PG/1: HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATION

DEC 2023 SESSION

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer ONE Question FROM EACH SECTION

Section A (24 marks)

1. Identify and discuss SEVEN insights that can be drawn from the Egyptian education by a modern day country.
2. Argue out how early Christianity influenced education up to the Middle Ages.
3. Critically evaluate the education ideas and their lasting legacy of any one of the following:
 - (a) Jean Jacques Rousseau
 - (b) Julius Nyerere

Section B (23 Marks)

4. Identify SEVEN key aspects of the African Indigenous Education that are still relevant to present day education.
5. Discuss key milestones in education in Africa in the period 1945 to 1960.
6. Examine major challenges experienced in Africa in its endeavor to advance technical education after independence and discuss the attempted solutions.

Section C (23 marks)

7. Show why Africans in Kenya hesitated to embrace Western education.
8. To what extent did the end of the Second World War positively influence the developments of education in Kenya?
9. Discuss the strengths and weaknesses of the Beecher Education report of 1949 in Kenya.