



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2017/2018

DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT

ASC 068: DISASTER MANAGEMENT POLICIES

DATE: Thursday, 21st December 2017

TIME: 4.30 p.m. - 6.30 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

1. (a) i) Distinguish social policy from public policy.
ii) Give specific examples in a disaster situation such as fire.
(10 marks)
- (b) Using relevant examples, explain five factors that determine the formulation of flood policies in Kenya
(10 marks)
- (c) Road accidents have become very common in Kenya, explain five public policies that can minimize these road accidents
(10 marks)
2. Recently, there was an incidence of fire breakout in Kenyatta University. State and explain the types of programs that Kenyatta university should have in its efforts to train disaster management experts
(20 marks)
3. By use of relevant examples, discuss the factors that make policies in disaster management to be different for different countries.
(20 marks)
4. In case an earthquake happened in Kericho, explain five factors that may prevent disaster policy implementation.
(20 marks)
5. What types of public policy programmes both national and international should be used in case of a major disaster occurs in a densely populated area
(20 marks)