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EXAMINATION PAPER

Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Development Studies

Part 2 Semester 2

COURSE CODE : ADS222
COURSE TITLE : Development Finance
DURATION : 3 Hours
DATE : 06 DEC 2023

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer any **THREE** questions only.
2. Each question carries 25 Marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet.
4. Use relevant examples or case studies in answering your questions

1. Zimbabwe is one of the developing countries that is receiving significant amounts of remittance from nationals in the diaspora. As one of the economic advisors to the Minister of Finance and Economic Development, write an analytical report on how the remittances can be effectively utilized for the development of the country.
2. You are a leader of a pressure group that monitors the government development finance options. The members of the Parliamentary Portfolio on Finance and Economic Planning have invited you to give them your latest assessment of the foreign aid flows to Zimbabwe. Prepare a presentation that will give them a critical assessment of what it means for the country's development.
3. The Small and Medium Enterprises Development Corporation (SMEDCO) board is concerned by the outcry of its members that microfinance schemes are short-changing them. You have been hired as a consultant to find out what is happening on the ground. Present your findings and recommendations using the case of Glen View Home industries.
4. You have been invited to speak in a panel of development experts on how external sources of development finance can be utilized for national development. Critically analyse how some of the Asian tigers have developed using the external development finances and draw lessons that the emerging economies can refer to.
5. China has been criticised for dominating the provision of development assistance to African countries yet contributing to the underdevelopment of these countries. Evaluate this assertion with the use of examples.

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