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EXAMINATION PAPER

Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Development Studies: Part 2 Semester 2

COURSE CODE : ADS 221  
COURSE TITLE : URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
DURATION : 3 Hours  
DATE : 24 SEP 2024

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

1. Answer question **ONE** and any other **TWO** 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. You have been tasked to carry out a baseline survey on wetlands in an urban area you know in Zimbabwe.
  - (a) What data would you gather to help you understand the complexity of wetlands in the urban area? [10]
  - (b) How would you gather the information of the exercise? [7]
  - (c) Discuss the contribution of wetlands to urban development. [8]
2. Discuss the idea of 'all inclusive' is as far as urban economic development is concerned. [25]
3. Using a sketch map of an urban area you know very well, discuss the model adopted by the city authorities in its development. [25]
4. The issue of 'urban waste management' has remained a 'thorn in the flesh' for most urban areas in Zimbabwe. With reference to examples, examine how the urban inhabitants are providing solutions to the problem. [25]
5. With reference to examples of named urban areas, examine the role of the main actors of urban governance. [25]

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