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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE
OF MASTER OF EDUCATION**

EAPE 821: FINANCING OF EDUCATION

STREAMS: M.ED PT/SB

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 22/07/2021

2.30 P.M. – 5.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any THREE question

1. a) There has been pressure to cut budgetary allocation to education in Kenya despite an increase in unit costs. Explain any six factors that could be contributing to such pressure. (10 marks)
- b) Examine alternative options to tackle the problem of scarce financial resources in Kenya's education system. (10 marks)
2. Resources for education in Sub-Saharan African have continued to decline partly due to the debt crisis.
 - (a) Examine any seven options for debt relief by the international community. (10 marks)
 - (b) Show the implications of the options for debt relief in 2(a) in financing education in Kenya. Give relevant examples. (10 marks)
3. a) Public universities in Kenya have been facing reduced financial allocation from the government. Discuss other possible financing arrangements and their equity implications. (10 marks)

b) Explain how secondary schools in Kenya can generate income to supplement finance received from tuition fees paid by students. (10 marks)

4. Analyze any five justifications governments of Sub-Saharan African provide for the continued increased budgetary expenditures on education. (20 marks)

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