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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ECONOMICS AND SOCIOLOGY

SOCI 313: URBAN SOCIOLOGY

STREAMS: Y3S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 06/12/2018

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Question one is compulsory**
- **Answer any other two questions.**

1. If you were studying the growth patterns for the city which you know very well or is nearest to you, which theoretical model(s) would provide the most useful framework for your analysis? Defend your answer. [30 marks]
 2. What do you think every day life in Kenya cities and rural areas will be like in 2050? What does your answer reflect about the growth of future cities in Kenya? Defend your answer. [20 marks]
 3. Many people say they would like to live close to but not in a big city? What is your preference? Use the ideas of Tonnie's and Durkheim to support your answer. [20 marks]
 4. Identify and discuss the preconditions that must be present in order for a city to develop. [20 marks]
 5. Identify and discuss urban problems of a city of your choice in East Africa. [20 marks]
 6. Identify and discuss factors that lead to migration. Use examples to illustrate your answer. [20 marks]
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