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# EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN ANIMAL HEALTH AND PRODUCTION

ANHE 0336: PRINCIPLES OF DISEASE CONTROL

STREAMS: DIP (ANHE) Y2S2 TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 8/12/2017 8.30 A.M - 10.30 A.M.

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

• Answer <u>ALL</u> questions in Section A and any other <u>TWO</u> in Section B

• Use a pencil where necessary

# SECTION A [30 MARKS] QUESTION ONE

Give the meaning of the following terminologies

[2 Marks each]

- (a) Communicable disease
- (b) Pandemic
- (c) Antigen
- (d) Bio-security
- (e) Ring vaccination

# **QUESTION TWO**

Describe the procedures that are used to manage dangerous contact premises in order to avoid disease spread. [5 Marks]

### **QUESTION THREE**

Distinguish between complete depopulation and limited depopulation as diseases control strategies. [5 Marks]

# **QUESTION FOUR**

Describe the important characteristics of an infectious agent favourable for disease occurrence.

[5 Marks]

# **QUESTION FIVE**

List five principles on proper usage of drugs during disease control.

[5 Marks]

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# QUESTION B: [40 MARKS] QUESTION SIX (a) Using examples, explain ways of denying access of disease agents to the susceptible host. [10 Marks] (b) Discuss the best practices during stamping out of diseases. [10 Marks] QUESTION SEVEN (a) Discuss how animal husbandry factors can be controlled to reduce disease incidences. [10 Marks] (b) Explain the role of environment in disease occurrence. [10 Marks] QUESTION EIGHT Discuss the four key steps in managing infectious diseases. [20 Marks]