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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

LITT 214: FICTION FROM EASTERN AFRICA

STREAM: SB TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 10/08/2018 8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M

INSTRUCTION:

- Answer three questions only
- Question one is compulsory
- Do not duplicate content
- 1. With specific examples from East African prose, outline the main characteristics of the post independence era in the region. [30marks]
- 2. Discuss any four literary techniques employed by prose writers in East Africa. Illustrate your work adequately. [20marks]
- 3. With close reference to the East African novel demonstrate how the experience of conflicting cultures has been captured by literary writers. [20marks]
- 4. Urbanization is synonymous with social stratification. Respond to this statement by evaluating the implications of the urban features presented in East African prose.

Use Meja Mwangi's <u>Kill Me Quick.</u> [20marks]

With adequate illustrations discuss the thematic concerns of the East African short story.[20marks]

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