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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
CERTIFICATE IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT**

DIMA 00224: DISASTER RESPONSE AND RELIEF

STREAMS: CERT (DIMA)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 14/04/2020

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer ALL Questions in Section A and only Two Questions in Section B

SECTION A: QUESTION ONE

- (a) Using relevant examples. Discuss the type of losses occasioned by disasters. [6 marks]
- (b) Discuss four methods of carrying out disaster assessment. [8 marks]
- (c) Identify five vulnerable populations in disaster response and relief. [5 marks]
- (d) Discuss five categories of resources mobilized in disaster response and relief. [5 marks]
- (e) Discuss any six requirements needed to ensure safe evacuation of disaster victims. [6 marks]

SECTION B

QUESTION TWO

- (a) With an aid of a diagram, explain the relief life cycle. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain in details the elements of disaster assessment. [10 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) There are many different ways that a disaster assessment team can be structured. Discuss five models used by both international relief agencies and governments in structuring assessment team. [10 marks]
- (b) The incident command system organizational structure consists of five major pre-designated functions. Discuss. [10 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss five advantages of incident command standardization. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss activities carried out during a disaster response and relief in adherence with ethical standards. [10 marks]

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Discuss the important guiding principles in disaster reconstruction and rehabilitation. [10 marks]
 - (b) Explain five indigenous approaches used to mobilize resources during disaster relief. [10 marks]
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