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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN TOURISM AND HOTEL
MANAGEMENT**

DTHM 0231: WILDLIFE CONSERVATION AND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT

STREAMS: DTHM (Y2S1)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 15/12/2023

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer ALL questions in section A and any TWO questions in section B
- Do not write on the question paper

SECTION A (30 MARKS)

1. Define the following terms as used in wildlife conservation and tourism development:
 - a) Preservation (2 marks)
 - b) Wildlife tourism (2 marks)
 - c) Carrying capacity (2 marks)
2. Outline six common wildlife species in East Africa and state their significance. (6 marks)
3. Briefly explain the ecological values of wildlife resources conservation. (6 marks)
4. Briefly explain the contributions of tourism to wildlife resources conservation. (6 marks)
5. State six elements of wildlife based development. (6 marks)

SECTION B (40 MARKS)

6. Discuss 10 challenges facing wildlife conservation initiatives in Kenya. (20 marks)
7. a) Discuss four basic principles of wildlife based tourism management development. (8 marks)

b) Discuss six techniques employed in wildlife conservation. (12 marks)

8. Describe the roles of Kenya wildlife service resources in tourism development. (20 marks)

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