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**EXAMINATION FOR MASTERS DEGREE IN
EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT**

EAPE 822: POLICY FORMULATION AND IMPLEMENTATION

STREAM: R

TIME: 3 HRS

DAY: WEDNESDAY (8.30-11.30AM) DATE: 16/4/25

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO (2 PAGES)

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INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question one (Compulsory) and any other Three questions

QUESTION ONE

- a. Define the concept of public policy. (2mks)
- b. Explain three factors that may determine acceptability of a policy targeting a higher share of household financing of basic education. (3mks)
- c. Explain five criteria you would look for with a view to determine whether a given policy in education qualifies to be part of public policy. (5mks)
- d. Explain three ways in which the media may shape policy agenda in education. (3mks)
- e. Discuss two rationales for education policy analysis. (2mks)

QUESTION TWO

- a. Explain three categories of education policies in Kenya. (3mks)
- b. Discuss six issues that should be included in education policy agenda in Kenya today. (12mks)

QUESTION THREE

- a. Explain five justifications for formulating national education policies in a nation. (5mks)
- b. Discuss five strategies you would propose to policy makers for effective implementation of education policies in Kenya. (10mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a. Explain five policy instruments that are intended to enhance basic education access in Kenya. (5mks)
- b. Discuss five measure you would recommend for effective monitoring of an ongoing education policy. (10mks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a. Explain the steps that should be followed when formulating a national education policy. (5mks)
- b. Discuss five strategies you would apply to communicate a newly formulated education policy to stakeholders. (10mks)

