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2ND SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ECONOMICS AND
SOCIOLOGY

SOCI 422: SOCIAL CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT

STREAM: BA

TIME: 2 HRS

DAY: FRIDAY [8.30-10.30 A.M]

DATE: 12/04/2024

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO (2) PAGES

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Instructions: Answer all questions in **SECTION A** and any **TWO** in **SECTION B**

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Define the following concepts using examples
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| (i) Evolution | (2Mks) |
| (ii) Social change | (2Mks) |
| (iii) Modernization | (2Mks) |
| (iv) Cultural shock | (2Mks) |
| (v) Urbanization | (2Mks) |
- (b) Examine the postulates of evolution theory in relation to social change and development (12Mks)
- (c) Determine the consequences of cultural globalization (8Mks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Examine using relevant examples any five characteristics of social change (10Mks)
- (b) Explain the consequences of overpopulation with reference to Kenya (10Mks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) What are the factors for social changes according to Karl Marx (10Mks)
- (b) How do functionalists explain social change (10Mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss ways in which internet revolution led to social change (10Mks)
- (b) Examine consequences of urbanization with special reference to Kenya (10Mks)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Foreign aid has led to industrial development in the African continent. Discuss (12Mks)
- (b) Examine milestones in the democratization process since 1963 (8Mks)

