

MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR SEMESTER TWO

SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL STUDIES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

COURSE CODE: PSA 3235-1
COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS

DATE: 21/4/2023 TIME:1100-1300 HRS

Instructions

- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- Answer **QUESTION 1** and any other **TWO** questions from those given.
- Rough work can be done on the answer booklet and crossed through.

QUESTION ONE

- a) You have been approached as a policy expert to develop a policy proposal on "*Rehabilitation of Encroached Riparian Land along Mara River in Narok County, Kenya*". Outline the important sections and subsections that your policy paper must have. (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss the important attributes of the implementation stage in public policy making process. (10 Marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) In references to any Kenyan socio-economic policy, discuss the factors that have been an impediment to policy compliance. (8 Marks)
- b) Discuss the factors that constrain public policy formulation in most developing countries in the 21st Century. (7 Marks)

QUESTION THREE

As a public policy expert, you have been invited to Maasai Mara University to give a public lecture on public policy analysis as a field of political science. Outline the different thematic areas of public policy analysis you will present on.

(15 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Compare and contrast the tenets of institutional theory and political system theory in relation to public policy making process. (15 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Different Kenyan laws grant jurisdictional powers to different actors on matters of public policy making process at the county and at the national levels of governance. Discuss. (15 Marks)

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