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SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES BACHELOR OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY)

**COURSE CODE: CMD 313/SOC 2217
COURSE TITLE: SOCIAL POLICY AND
ADMINISTRATION**

DATE: 20TH APRIL, 2018

TIME: 0830 – 1030HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Question 1 is compulsory.
- Answer any other **TWO** questions

*This paper consists of **TWO** printed pages. Please turn over.*

QUESTION ONE

Write short notes on the following

(2marks each)

- i) Social protection
- ii) Sustainability and affordability
- iii) Social policy and administration
- iv) Health care
- v) Informal sector

b) Examine how Gilbert and Specht (1986) concluded that social policy is both a process and a product. **(10 marks)**

c) State and explain factors that aid in mainstreaming equity across sectors. **(10 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

Discuss in detail two major theories of policy making.

(20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

a) Discuss values and principles which are applied to social policy.

(10 marks)

b) Distinguish between long -term policies and short-term high impact initiatives.

(10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

a) Explain why most developing countries initiated universal policies.

(10 marks)

b) "Designing good social policies require understanding the needs of a country's population from different perspectives". Discuss **(10 marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

a) What are the main options for expanding health coverage in Kenya today.

(10 marks)

b) Discuss international redistribution and social justice

(10 marks)

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