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Bachelor of Built Environment in Urban Design and Development
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Year III Semester II EXAMINATION

EAPR 3231 Planning for Line Infrastructures & Utilities
EAPQ3231 Urban Infrastructure Design

Time: 2 hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One and any other Two Questions of Your Choice from Section Two in the Answer Booklet Provided. Start each Question in a Fresh Page.

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Answer 3 Questions. Question One from Section One and any other Two Questions of your choice from Section Two.

Section One: Compulsory(30 marks)

Question 1:

- a. Define the following terms
- a. Infrastructure (d) Energy (2marks) (2Marks)
 - b. Wayleaves (2Marks)
 - c. Easements (2Marks)
- b. Discuss the following Acts of parliament and how they affect planning for infrastructure in Kenya (12 marks)
- i. Water act (2002)
 - ii. Energy act (2007)
 - iii. Urban Areas and Cities Act of 2011
- c. Discuss any 5 advantages of infrastructure planning (10 Marks)

Section Two: Answer any two (40 Marks)

Question 2

- a) Discuss the infrastructure planning process based on the comprehensive planning traditions (10 marks)
- b) Discuss any 5 infrastructure challenges in Developing Countries such as Kenya. (10 marks)

Question 3

You have been approached by the Kenya Power and Lighting Company to acquire for the company wayleaves in Nairobi County. Describe the Wayleaves acquisition process of the assignment (20Marks)

Question 4

Draw a life cycle for an infrastructure project of your choice, discuss the main activities in each phase. (10 marks)

Discuss planning considerations for a sewage disposal and treatment site (10 marks)

Question 5

Criqui, in her article on infrastructure urbanism, discusses a social-technical approach to the provision of drinking water that was developed and implemented in Lima, Peru. Explain what is meant by a socio-technical approach, and discuss its pros and cons.

(20 marks)