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## JOMO KENYATTA UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY

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**EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

**HSD 2306: POLITICS OF DEVELOPMENT**

**DATE: AUGUST 2019 TIME: 3 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS**

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

a) What is the impact of the prevailing political climate on development of Africa in the 21st Century (6 marks)

b) “The under development of Africa has to a great extent contributed to the unfavourable terms of trade in the world market for the continent”. Explain (6 marks)

c) Examine the factors influencing foreign direct investment in Africa (6 marks)

d) What is the rationale behind the imposition of structural adjustment programs on poor countries (6 marks)

e) Citing examples explain the missing link in the local elites effort to accelerate development in Kenya (6 marks)

2a) Discuss the development crisis engulfing post-colonial Africa in the last fifty years (10 marks)

b) “Land has been an emotive issue in independent Kenya”. Explain (10 marks)

3a) Describe how developing countries can optimize on mutilated agreements with development partners (10 marks)

b) Why has Kenya been entangled in the war on terrorism? Suggest strategies for outwitting terrorists like Alshabbab and Boko Aram (10 marks)

4a) “The politics of climate change call for an all inclusive approach”. Explain (10 marks)

b) How is objective reporting on developing countries by the global media crucial for socio-economic and political development of the affected countries (10 marks)