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**UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND**

**MAIN EXAMINATION PAPER**

**PROGRAMME: BSC. IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION YEAR IV  
BSC IN HOME ECONOMICS AND HOME  
ECONOMICS EDUCATION YEAR IV**

**COURSE CODE: AEE 404**

**TITLE OF PAPER: ISSUES IN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

**TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS**

**INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL FOUR (4) QUESTIONS**

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**Question 1**

- a) Explain the concept, sustainable development (5 Marks)
- b) Identify and briefly explain the importance of sustainable development in developing countries. (20 Marks)

**Total: [25 Marks]**

**Question 2**

State the water policy in Africa proposed during the first African Water Week held at Tunisia from March 26 to 28, 2008 and point out the importance of adopting and implementing each policy statement.

**[25 Marks]**

**Question 3**

The United Nation's World Summit on Sustainable Development, Rio +10 was held in Johannesburg, South Africa between August 26 and September 4, 2002. Discuss the outcomes of the conference and the ways in which these would be useful in advising the government of a country of your choice, on bringing about sustainable development

**[25 Marks]**

**Question 4**

Discuss the challenges posed to sustainable development in developing countries through the activities of large pharmaceutical companies and the role of medical personnel, and suggest solutions to these challenges.

**[25 Marks]**