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TITLE : PRINCIPLES OF PLANNING

COURSE NUMBER : GEP 324

TIME ALLOWED : THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS :

1. Answer three (3) questions including question 1 which is compulsory.
2. Where appropriate illustrate your answers with examples and sketches.

MARK ALLOCATION : QUESTION ONE CARRIES FORTY (40) MARKS AND THE OTHER QUESTIONS ARE THIRTY (30) MARKS EACH.

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QUESTION 1

COMPULSORY

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'In modern planning, we plan **with** the people not **for** the people'. Discuss the validity of this statement.

[40 marks]

SECTION B ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS FROM THIS SECTION

QUESTION 2

Using specific examples, discuss why planning is important at local, regional or national level.

[30 marks]

QUESTION 3

- a) Define physical planning. [05 marks]
- b) Discuss the different stages of the planning process. [25 marks]

QUESTION 4

- a) Discuss the shortcomings of the co-existence of the Town Planning Act of 1968 and the Human Settlements Authority Act of 1992. [20 marks]
- b) Discuss how the National Physical Planning Act addresses the above shortcomings.

[10 marks]

QUESTION 5

Examine the importance of decentralisation in the planning process.

[30 marks]