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TITLE OF PAPER: SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS

COURSE CODE: SOC 411

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS
ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS**

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BEEN GIVEN BY THE INVIGILATOR**

QUESTION ONE

Discuss the relevance of sociological theories to the study and understanding of social problems.

QUESTION TWO

Discuss social problems that have arisen from the HIV and AIDS pandemic in Swaziland.

QUESTION THREE

Critically examine the historical and sociological origins of social problems.

QUESTION FOUR

Discuss the extent to which drug abuse is a social problem in Swaziland. How are social workers responding to the problem?

QUESTION FIVE

Explain the following:

- a. Globalization
- b. Multinational corporations
- c. Monopoly vs. Oligopoly
- d. Patriarchal system

QUESTION SIX

War serves the interest of freedom. Critically discuss.