



NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED CHEMISTRY
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREE
END OF FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS – APRIL 2009
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES – SCH 1103
TIME: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **All** questions in Section A. Section A carries 60 marks.
Answer **Any Two (2)** questions in Section B. Section B carries 40 marks
Total marks 100%

QUESTION 1

Goulet and other development theorists agree that in a changing global environment of this world three (3) core values serve as conceptual basis and practical guidelines:

- a)The.....(6 marks)
- b)To.....(6 marks)
- c)To.....(6 marks)

QUESTION 2

- (i) What are the two economic systems discussed during the course? (4 marks)
- (ii) Name 2 Asian countries whose economies were booming just before the world's financial crisis (end of 2008). (4 marks)

QUESTION 3

List the seven common characteristics of all developing nations. (14 marks).

QUESTION 4

What are the means/or factors of production? (8 marks)

QUESTION 5

In business goals when set must be:

- S..... (2 marks)
- M..... (2 marks)
- A..... (2 marks)
- R..... (2 marks)
- T..... (2 marks)

QUESTION 6

Name only (10) ten non-economic factors which if developers do not take into consideration hinder economic growth in developing nations. (10 marks).

SECTION B: Answer only two questions.

QUESTION 7

Write in note form the following:

- (a) Rules (2 marks)
- (b) Fiscal policy (4 marks)
- (c) Power (2 marks)
- (d) Sole/proprietorship (12 marks)

QUESTION 8

Discuss what needs to be done to address the cultural practises which militate against equal opportunities, the prevention of gender based violence (GVB) amongst the Zimbabwe population in view of the GVB Act of 2006. (20 marks)

QUESTION 9

Zimbabwe after 29 March elections remained without a government in place. Discuss the problems which were encountered by the population and suggest what the new inclusive government could do to arrest the trend. (20 marks)

QUESTION 10

Explain the difference between a free market economy and a planned socialist economy.
(20 marks)

End of question Paper!!!