NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AND WATER ENGINEERING FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING (HONOURS) DEGREE PART II FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION-MAY 2009 ENGINEERING GEOLOGY TCW 2105

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer question 1 and any other three of your choice

Time : 3 hours Total Marks : 100

QUESTION 1

On map 1 : (a) draw strike lines on the geological boundaries. (3marks) (b) determine the thicknesses of beds B, C, D and E. (4marks) © calculate the gradients of beds B, C, D and E. (6marks) (d) draw a section along the east- west line Y-Z. (12marks) (25 marks) **QUESTION 2** Write about wind as a geological agent. (25 marks) **QUESTION 3** Describe Bowen's reaction series . (25 marks) **QUESTION 4** (a) Define the following geological terms : (i) petrology (ii) mineralogy (iii) rock (iv) streak and (v) cleavage. (10 marks) (b) Write about mechanically formed sedimentary rocks. (15 marks) (25 marks) **QUESTION 5** (a) Illustrate with simple sketches the following geological structures : (i) laccolith (ii) dyke (iii) lopolith and (iv) dome (8marks)

(b) Describe igneous rocks according to the mode of occurrence . (17 marks)

(25 marks)

QUESTION 6

On the given map 6 , draw a section along A-B and describe the geological history of the area . (25 marks)

LIST OF FORMULAE

 $Tan d^o = tan D^o x \cos c$

 $Tan d^{o} = tan D^{o} x sin s$