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AAR 1105 SOCIETY AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT I

Instructions

Time : 2 Hours

Answer **Question 1** and any other of the remaining questions.
Illustrate your answers with sketches where appropriate.

QUESTION 1 - Compulsory

- a) Discuss the role of degrees of privacy within the household.
- b) Define the following resettlement patterns as they are related to the built environment:
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| i) cluttered | [6] |
| ii) agglomerate | [6] |
| iii) triglodyte | [3] |
- c) Define what you understand by the concept of culture. How can this be related to the built environment? [10]

QUESTION 2

By way of brief notes, describe the driving forces behind the establishment of rural settlement.

QUESTION 3

In what ways have men and women through their occupancy of the land since primitive times, transformed the natural landscape of Zimbabwe into the artificial landscape that we see today?

QUESTION 4

Describe three common non-residential building types likely to be found in a rural settlement, in terms of function, plan form, use and location.

QUESTION 5

Below is a list of terms relating to housing. Define them.

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| a) Dwelling | b) Manse |
| c) Habitat | d) Tenement |
| e) Hearth | f) Condominium |
| g) Domain | h) threshold |