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PART I – SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS – JULY 2006

AAR1105 - SOCIETY AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT I

Instructions

Time: 3 hours

Answer question ONE and any other three.

QUESTION 1 - COMPULSORY

- 1a) State factors that influence built forms. [12]
b) State basic needs of housing. [8]
c) Explain how lifestyles are reflected in the built environments. [20]

Question Two

Write brief notes on various types of settlements formation, both rural and urban. [20]

Question Three

In what ways have different types of land tenure determined the planning and design of the buildings that occupy the land? [20]

Question Four

The natural landscape and its wilderness has provided mankind with formidable challenges in their endeavour to accommodate their activities and livelihood. These activities have entailed the transformation of natural landscape. In this respect in what have the activities of mankind, since prehistoric times, transformed the natural landscape of Zimbabwe into the criticism landscape that can be observed today. [20]

Question Five

Below is a series of terms relating to housing and property? Define them.

- a) Courtyard b) Hearth
c) Squatter d) Cottage
e) Tenure f) Porch
g) Patio h) Communal Land [20]