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**KIRIRI WOMENS' UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**  
**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION, 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR**  
**FOURTH YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION**  
**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS**  
**INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2022  
Time: 8.30am –10.30am

**KLC 2409 - GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS**

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

Turkana is a remote area in Kenya where girls are highly oppressed. They do homestead duties while young with less opportunity for education to girl child. Once the girl child is a child, a possible suitor is sought contrary to the will and interest of the girl. Father of the girl child gets early deposits of goats and cows in form of dowry. The girl in Turkana is voiceless as far as marriage is concerned. Some are even subjected to FGM

- a) Discuss three critical areas for gender mainstreaming in Turkana. (6 marks)
- b) Discuss four practical approaches to the development of women as applicable in Turkana (6 marks)
- c) Explain four critical areas of concern raised during the 4<sup>th</sup> United Nations World Conference on women which need to be addressed in Turkana. (6 marks)
- d) Depict four practical approaches that can be used to reduce teenage pregnancies in Turkana (6 marks)
- e) Is development working for women? Explain four issues the world has promised for women and say whether the promise has been fully implemented in regard to Turkana. (6 marks)

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- a) Discuss with relevant examples five challenges faced by girl child in Kenya. (10 marks)
- b) Explain five ways in which Kiriri Womens University of Science and Technology is promoting the plight of girl child in Kenya. (10 marks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- a) Discuss three theories of women's issues in development. (10 marks)
- b) Explain five ways through which the Kenya government can empower women in rural areas. (10 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a) Examine five possible ways of empowering and regulating boda boda sector in Kenya. (10 marks)
- b) Analyze explain cultural practices in Kenya that disadvantages women economically. (10 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

- a) Discuss ways outlined for empowering women during the International Women's Year United Nations World Conference held in Mexico City in 1975. (10 marks)
- b) Briefly explain five priority areas which required special attention as raised during the mid-decade conference which took place in Copenhagen in 1980. (10 marks)