



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2020/2021 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

**BACHELOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE
CONSERVATION)**

BACHELOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT)

ESU 301: ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY AND LAW

DATE: 17/8/2021

TIME: 11.00-1.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS;

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain five (5) key salient features of a policy framework (10 marks)
- b) Describe the courses of action applied under the common law of torts in dealing with landowner's rights in Kenya. (10 marks)
- c) Explain the application of environmental ethics and justice in environmental law. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Citing examples, explain how Kenya is implementing the principles of international environmental law.

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Discuss the policy making process in Kenya highlighting the roles played by the different actors.

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Discuss the fundamental principles of environmental law.

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Discuss the factors inhibiting the enforcement of Environmental laws in Kenya