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BHT 4211: WILDLIFE BASED TOURISM

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: APRIL 2013 **TIME:** 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

 Answer question ONE (Compulsory) in Section A and any other TWO questions in Section B.

This paper consists of Two printed pages

SECTION A (Compulsory)

QUESTION 1

- a) Human wildlife conflict (HWC) is a problem of resource utilization in conservation Areas. Briefly explain the various causes for this recurrent problem. (15 marks)
- b) There are various strategies and actions available in managing tourism in natural areas. As a park manager in Lake Nakuru National Park, discuss the various management techniques at your disposal.

 (15 marks)

SECTION B (Answer any **TWO** questions)

QUESTION 2

- a) "Tourism destroys what it seeks once it finds it". Discuss the negative impacts of tourism to the physical environment in protected areas. (10 marks)
- **b)** Explain any **TEN** principles to sustainable tourism development as it applies to wildlife destination areas.

(10 marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Highlight the nature and evolution of wildlife based tourism in Kenya. (12 marks)
- b) Explain the role of visitor education in managing protected areas. (5 marks)
- c) Briefly explain reasons behind the necessity of tourism planning in a protected area. (3 marks)

QUESTION 4

- a) With use of examples, briefly describe the diversity of wildlife areas in Kenya. (14 marks)
- b) Differentiate between consumptive and non-consumptive wildlife based tourism. (6 marks)