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DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

2024_2 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: BIO 412

COURSE TITLE: WILDLIFE ECOLOGY AND CONSERVATION

CREDIT: 3 Units

TIME ALLOWED: 21/2 Hours

Instructions: Attempt question number One (1) and any other THREE (3) questions. Question number one (1) carries (25) marks, while the other questions carry (15) marks each.

- 1. (a) Write on the damages wild deer animal causes to forest trees areas (12mks)
 - (b) Outline the action needed to Protect Biodiversity (6mks)
 - (c) List the consequences of climate change on wildlife habitats (7mks)
- **2.** (a) What is the main role of conservation policy? (9mks)
 - (b) Write on sample unit size in wildlife ecology (6mks)
- **3.** (a) Write exhaustively on wildlife conservation (**9mks**)
 - (b) Explain the Rio Declaration (6mks)
- **4.** (a) List the objectives of the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) (3mks)
 - (b) Write on the importance of wildlife protection policies and legislation (12mks)
- **5.** (a) Outline the major outcomes of human-wildlife conflict (**6mks**)
 - (b) Explain wildlife conservation (6mks)
 - (c) List the three categories of biotic components (3mks)
- 6. Succinctly explain the use of chemical control in wildlife and the damages to crops.

(15mks)