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**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR, BACHELOR OF
DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND IT**

CDS 201-THEORIES AND STRATEGIES OF DEVELOPMENT

DURATION: 2 HOURS

Instructions to candidates:

1. Answer question One and Any Other Two questions.
2. Mobile phones are not allowed in the examination room.
3. You are not allowed to write on this examination question paper.

SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Evaluate the four components of a theory (4marks)
- b) Highlight five (5) models available to facilitate understanding of a phenomenon (5marks)
- c) How does modernization theory explain development (4marks)
- d) Discuss how economic performance affects the development of democracy in at least three ways (6marks)
- e) Describe three effects of dependency theory on the developing countries (6marks)
- f) Define of structuralism theory (2marks)
- g) Describe three (3) post development theory's concern about westernization (3marks)

SECTION B – ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss the five levels of the hierarchy by Maslow (10marks)
- b) Outline three advantages and two disadvantages of modernization theory (10marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Highlight two advantages and three disadvantages of dependency theory (10marks)
- b) Evaluate five (5) pros of neoclassical theory (10marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss three (3) pillars of sustainability (6marks)
- b) Discuss five(5) advantages of the centralized models (10marks)
- c) Describe two (2) strengths of case studies (4marks)