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Department of Agricultural Economics, Education and Extension MSc in Food Security and Sustainable Agriculture Part I Examination Sustainable Livestock Production EJUN 2024

3 HOURS (100 Marks)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

Answer question ONE from SECTION A and any TWO questions from SECTION B.

SECTION A (COMPULSORY)

1. a) Discuss management of a dairy cow within one lactation cycle.

[25 marks]

b) Discuss commercial broiler production and suggest ways of reducing emissions and [25 marks] stress in the birds.

SECTION B

- 2. Discuss rangeland management for livestock in Zimbabwe and identify ways of [25 marks] mitigating against climate change.
- 3. Discuss the relationships between livestock production and Climate Change and show how Livestock production can be modified to reduce the effects on Climate.

[25 marks]

4. Discuss the various sources of feed that are in use and highlight the pros and cons of each [25 marks] feed source.

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