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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREE IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREE IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT

DG410: DISASTER REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT

EXAMINATION

TIME: 3 HOURS

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. MARKS ALLOCATED FOR EACH QUESTION ARE INDICATED IN BRACKETS [].

1. Discuss the notion that disaster risk reduction must be more proactive rather than reactive in approach. [25]
2. Using relevant examples, justify the necessity of global efforts to mitigate global pandemics. [25]
3. Describe any three geographical tools that a disaster risk reduction practitioner can deploy in the fight against natural disasters occurring in Zimbabwe. [25]
4. Describe the importance of local community resilience for ensuring effective disaster risk reduction. [25]
5. Discuss the influence of weather phenomena on natural disasters occurring in Zimbabwe. [25]