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RESIT/SPECIAL EXAMINATION**

**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN
ECOTOURISM**

WIEM 452: PROTECTED AREA PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT

STREAMS: BECO Y4S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 03/11/2021

2.30 P.M – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer all questions in section **A** and any two in section **B**.
- Do not write anything on the question paper.

SECTION A (30 marks)

- Q1.** Briefly explain the importance of physical planning in a protected area (6 marks)
- Q2.** Briefly describe the control methods for over-abundant wildlife populations (6 marks)
- Q3.** Highlight the functions of a public relations officer in a protected area (6 marks)
- Q4.** Briefly explain what financial sustainability is and how it can be achieved in protected area management (6 marks)
- Q5.** Enumerate the challenges facing protected area management (6 marks)

SECTION B (40 marks)

- Q6.** Explain the significance of maintenance operations in a protected area (20 marks)
- Q7. a)** Discuss the vital details to be included in a protected area information service (8 marks)

b) Discuss the various ways of passing information on protected areas to the general public
(12

marks)

Q8. Discuss management measures that can be employed to help a declining population of a wildlife species
(20 marks)
