UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY, ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE & PLANNING

FINAL EXAMINATION, MAY 2005

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TITLE OF PAPER:

SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY

COURSE CODE:

GEP 226

TIME ALLOWED:

THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ANSWER FOUR QUESTIONS.

2. CHOOSE TWO QUESTIONS FROM

EACH SECTION

3. WHERE APPROPRIATE, ILLUSTRATE YOUR

ANSWER WITH EXAMPLES.

MARKS ALLOCATION:

ALL QUESTIONS CARRY 25 (TWENTY FIVE)

MARKS EACH.

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SECTION: A

Choose Two Questions from Section A

Question 1:

Using examples, show how the 'unemployment' is a social problem. 25 Marks

Question 2:

Using examples discuss the impact of increasing number of migrants living around the Matsapha Industrial Area of Swaziland.

25 Marks

Question 3:

With special reference to Swaziland, discuss the impact of HIV/AIDS on the extended family system. 25 Marks

SECTION: B

Choose Two Questions From Section B

Question 4:

Using examples, discuss the THREE approaches to the interpretation of human and nature relationship. 25 Marks

Question 5:

'Transport cost rates are not always proportional to distance'. Discuss the validity of this statement.

25 Marks

Question 6:

- (a) Account for the recent decline in long term Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) experienced by African countries.

 15 Marks
- (b) Suggest strategies, which African countries need to implement to attract Foreign Direct Investment. 10 Marks