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**PLANNING**

**SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION, JULY 2012**  
**B.A., B.ED. (F/PT)**

**TITLE OF PAPER: SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY**

**COURSE CODE: GEP 226**

**TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. ANSWER FOUR (4) QUESTIONS**
- 2. CHOOSE TWO QUESTIONS FROM EACH SECTIONS**
- 3. WHERE APPROPRIATE, ILLUSTRATE YOUR ANSWER WITH DIAGRAMS AND EXAMPLES**

**MARKS ALLOCATION: EACH QUESTION CARRIES TWENTY FIVE (25) MARKS**

**THIS QUESTION PAPER SHOULD NOT BE OPENED UNTIL PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR.**

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**Section: A**

**Answer Any Two Questions from this Section**

**Question: 1**

a) Outline the evolution of social geography in Africa and its associated problems. 13 Marks

b) Gilbert and Ikin (1945) identify four main branches of social geography in Africa. Using examples discuss those branches. 12 Marks

**(25 Marks)**

**Question: 2**

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

**Question: 3**

Identify and discuss the main characteristic of international migration in Swaziland. (25 Marks)

**Section: B**

**Answer Any Two Questions from this Section**

**Question: 4**

Using relevant examples, discuss the factors which influence the exploitation of mineral resources in sub-Saharan African countries. (25 Marks)

**Question: 5**

Discuss advantages and disadvantages of different forms of transportation in Africa. (25 Marks)

**Question: 6**

Using example discuss the causes and consequences of globalization in the developing countries. (25 Marks)