



**REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY**

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**FACULTY OF COMMERCE**  
**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE HONOURS DEGREE IN**  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**  
**DISASTER MANAGEMENT**

**HPAD 210**

**PART 2 SEMESTER 2 EXAMINATION**

**TOTAL MARKS [100]**

**DATE: DECEMBER 2022**

**Time: 3 Hours**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. This paper has *six (6)* questions
2. Answer question *one (1)* and *any other three (3)*
3. Each question carries *25 marks*
4. Start each question on a new page

1. With reference to a national disaster of your choice discuss the applicability of the disaster management process in the Zimbabwean context.
2. Examine the effectiveness of international bodies in dealing with disasters in third world Countries (25)
3. Citing practical examples evaluate Zimbabwe's capacity in dealing with disasters (25)
4. Using relevant examples from the Zimbabwean context assess the role of public communication in reducing the impact of disasters. (25 Marks)
5. "Early warnings" are victims of culture and ignorance of the locals. Discuss. (25 marks)
6. How effective are the frameworks of disaster management in Zimbabwe and where is the point of correction if any? (25 marks)

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