

**THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LESOTHO  
DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES  
BA AND BED EXAMINATIONS  
DS 1301: INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

**JANUARY 2024**

**MARKS: 100**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

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***INSTRUCTIONS:***

**Answer ALL questions from Section A and Section B then choose one essay question from Section C.**

**Marks will be awarded for:**

- **Good use of empirical illustrations**
  - **Critical thinking and analysis**
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**SECTION A**

1. Write these acronyms in full:
  - i. UNDP [1]
  - ii. SADC [1]
  - iii. MNCs [1]
  - iv. FDI [1]
  - v. IDA [1]
2. Define the following terms:
  - i. Development [2]
  - ii. State [2]
  - iii. Inequality [2]
  - iv. Poverty [2]
  - v. Human trafficking [2]
3. Give five (5) advantages of FDI to the developing countries [5]
4. List five (5) push factors of migration [5]

**SECTION B: Answer in not more than fifteen (15) lines**

1. Explain the challenges of development [10]
2. Explain the characteristics of developing countries [10]

**SECTION C: Choose one essay question form this section**

1. Discuss three (3) initiatives undertaken by agents of development in Lesotho to meet SDG Goal 6 (Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all). [30]
2. Discuss the contribution of MNC's to the economies of the developing countries. [30]

**Total marks [75]**