

KENYA CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

PAPER 1. 2022 **2 ½ Hours**

1. (a) Give **eight** reasons why the Quran was not compiled during the lifetime of the prophet(p.b.u.h) (8 marks)

(b) why was the Quran revealed in Arabic ? (6 marks)

(c) Identify **six** attributes of Allah mentioned in *Ayatul kursi*. (6 marks)

2. (a) why is the Quran considered a miracle by Muslims? (8 marks)

(b) Outline **six** benefits of diacriticalisation of the Quran (6 marks)

(c) State **six** characteristics of believers in *Surah An-Nur* (6 marks)

3 (a) Describe the simple classification of Hadith (6 marks)

(b) Explain the test used to determine the authenticity of a Hadith (7 marks)

(c) The prophet (p.b.u.h.) said “ the best home for Muslims is one where in there is an orphan who is treated well” In reference to the Hadith, give seven ways in which Muslims can take care of orphans. (7 marks)

4. (a) Identify **eight** categories of legal acts in Islamic law. (8 marks)

(b) State **six** principles of peaceful co-existence according to *Surah Al-Hujarat* (Q49) (6 marks)

(c) State **six** lessons a Muslim youth can learn from the life of *Imam Shaffi* . (6 marks)

5 (a) Outline **six** restrictions of ihram (6 marks)

(b) What are the benefits of performing Swalat in congregation? (6 marks)

(c) Explain **four** differences between Zakat and Sadaqah. (8 marks)

6.(a) State **six** ways in which Hadith is being preserved in modern times. (6 marks)

(b) State the Islamic teachings on rewards by Allah. (S.W.) (6 marks)

(c) How does the belief in the oneness of Allah affect the life of a Muslim? (8 marks)