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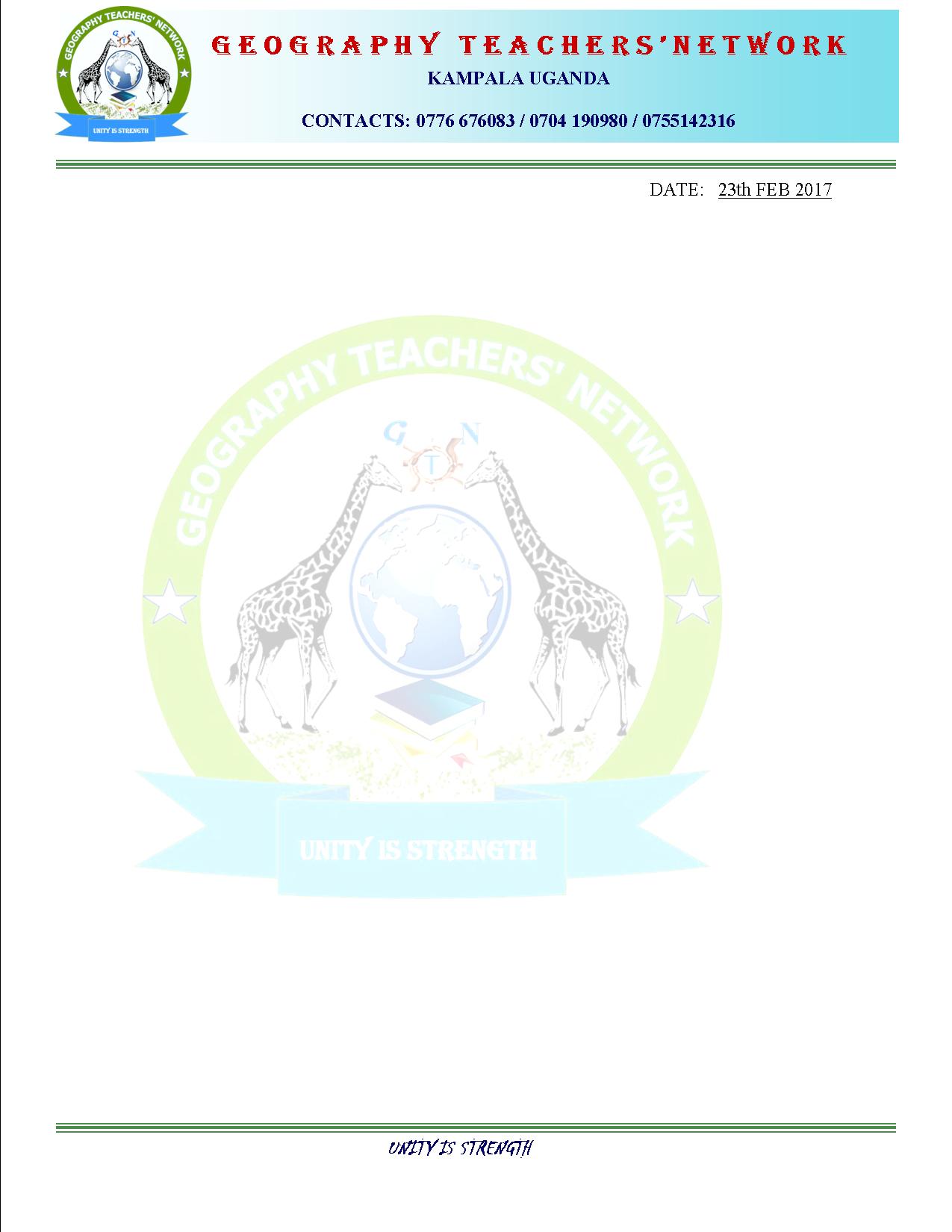
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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

*Attempt* ***four*** *questions in all.*

*Question* ***1*** *in section* ***A*** *is compulsory*

*The other* ***three*** *questions should be picked from section* ***B***

*Credit will be given to use of relevant sketch maps, diagrams and specific examples*

*Any additional question attempted will not be marked*

**SECTION A : STATISTICS**

1. Study table **1** below, showing population for selected countries (1990 – 2006) and answer the questions that follow:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **COUNTRY** | **POPULATION IN (‘000’)** | |
| **1990** | **2006** |
| Zimbabwe | 10,500 | 13,200 |
| Egypt | 55,100 | 74,200 |
| Republic of South Africa | 35,200 | 47,400 |
| Ghana | 15,600 | 23,000 |
| Algeria | 25,300 | 33,400 |
| Total | 141,700 | 191,200 |

*Adapted : 2008 World Development Indicators*

The World Bank, Washington DC pp40 – 42

1. Draw a compound bar graph to represent the information in the table.

(09 marks)

1. State the demerits of using the method in (a) above. (03 marks)
2. Identify the country with the;
3. Highest
4. Lowest, percentage population increase. (02 marks)
5. (i) Explain the causes of rapid population increase in the country

identified in (c) (i) above. (06 marks)

(ii) Suggest measures that should be taken to reduce the rapid population increase in the country identified in (c) (i) above. (05 marks)

**SECTION B**

**Answer THREE questions from this section**

1. Account for the development of extensive farming in either the prairies of North America or the Pampas of South America. (25 marks)
2. Explain the significance of Horticulture to the development of either the Netherlands or Kenya. (25 marks)
3. (a) Distinguish between purse seining and drifting methods of fishing.

(10 marks)

(b) Account for the development of the fishing activities in anyone country in the North West Atlantic fishing ground. (15 marks)

1. (a) Explain the term urbanization. (05 marks)

(b) Account for the development of either Addis Ababa or Johannesburg as an urban centre. (20 marks)

1. Examine the challenges facing the mining industry in either the Democratic Republic of Congo or Algeria. (25 marks)
2. Describe the measures being taken to improve inland water transport in either China or United States of America. (25 marks)
3. Explain the causes and effects of Desertification in the Sahel Region of Africa.

(25 marks)

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