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MARKING GUIDELINES

MARKS: 40

These marking guidelines consist of 4 pages.

INSTRUCTIONS TO MARKERS

1. Mark ALL questions.
2. Do not rely completely on the marking guideline/s, use your own discretion where necessary.
3. Use ticks(√) to indicate marks per question.
4. Learners should not be penalized for language incompetency.
5. Consider any other relevant answers.
6. Positive marking should always be considered.

Question number	Possible answers	Mark Allocation
SECTION A: QUESTION 1		
1.1	1.1.1 A ✓	(1)
	1.1.2 C ✓	(1)
	1.1.3 B ✓	(1)
1.2	1.2.1 Weather describes temperature, rainfall, cloud cover and winds ✓ over a short time in a small area. ✓ Climate describes the same conditions but over a longer time ✓ over a bigger area ✓ (Any other reasonable answer)	(2 x 2) (4)
	1.2.2 False ✓	(1)
1.2.3	1.2.3 (a) March ✓ 1.2.3 (b) July ✓	(1) (1)
1.3	1.3.1 Tropic of Cancer } ✓ Equator } (Both answers for 1 mark)	(1)
	1.3.2 Hot ✓ and wet climate ✓ (With no dry season)	(2)
	1.3.3 Disappearance of many tropical rainforests ✓ Animals losing their habitat ✓ (Any other reasonable answer)	(2)
TOTAL SECTION A: QUESTION 1		[15]

SECTION B : QUESTION 2		
2.1	2.1.1 Describes the number of people in an area ✓ and whether they are spread evenly or unevenly ✓	(2)
	2.1.2 (a) Uneven ✓ (b) Some parts have very few people living there, most people live in big cities. ✓ (Any other reasonable answer)	(1) (1)
2.2	2.2.1 The average number of people ✓ that live on a square kilometre (km ²) of land. ✓	(2)
	2.2.2 Gauteng ✓ Smallest area ✓ with the most people ✓	(3)
2.3	2.3.1 Answer: Urban ✓ Reason: Better living conditions ✓ (Factories for better jobs / Better living conditions)	(2)
	2.3.2 Push: Drought ✓ Closing of mine ✓ Pull: Looking for a job ✓ Better housing ✓	(4)
2.4	2.4.1 Urban ✓	(1)
	2.4.2 (a) Not enough housing ✓ (b) Public transport is already the most congested, will be even worse ✓	(2)
	2.4.3 7800 tons ✓ Dumping grounds ✓	(2)
	2.4.4 * Mumbai is one of the best natural harbours in the world ✓ * Mumbai handle 70% of industrial traits ✓ * Mumbai is the centre of the film industry ✓ * Lots of job opportunities ✓ * Many financial institutions ✓ * Any suitable answer	(5)
TOTAL SECTION B: QUESTION 2 [25]		

GRAND TOTAL: 40