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KIRIRI WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
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FIRST YEAR, SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION
FOR THE DIPLOMA IN PROCUREMENT & SUPPLIES
MANAGEMENT

DPS 1105: PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AND FINANCE

Date: 15TH April, 2024
Time: 2.30PM-4.30PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain three types of information that a supply chain officer would enter into a tender document. **(6 Marks)**
- b) The Public Procurement Administrative Review Board consist of members drawn from various professional bodies. Identify any four of the professional associations. **(4 Marks)**
- c) Explain three roles of public procurement. **(6 Marks)**
- d) Highlight two functions of a procurement unit in an organization. **(4 Marks)**
- e) Explain two functions of Public Procurement Oversight Advisory Board. **(4 Marks)**
- f) Outline three roles of an accounting officer in a public sector. **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) According to the Public procurement and Disposal act (2017), every procurement entity is required to establish a tender committee. Explain three functions of a tender committee. **(6 Marks)**
- b) The Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) is one of the bodies involved in the regulation of public procurement. Explain four functions of public procurement regulatory authority. **(8 Marks)**
- c) Explain the importance of public procurement. **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) As a procurement officer, explain three benefits that may accrue to a public entity from developing a procurement plan. **(6 Marks)**
- b) Taxation is very important for any country to achieve its developmental objectives. Explain four reasons for taxation. **(8 Marks)**
- c) Explain three roles of an Auditor General in public procurement. **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain the importance of incorporating Information Communication Technology in public procurement **(8 Marks)**
- b) Explain three measures that the government should take to ensure proper utilization of public funds. **(6 Marks)**
- c) Explain the role of user department in the procurement process of a public entity. **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Public procurement principles govern the management of public procurement in public sectors. Explain four basic principles of public procurement. **(8 Marks)**
- b) Explain three sources of public finance. **(6 Marks)**
- c) Explain three qualifications that a supplier should fulfill in order to be awarded a contract. **(6 Marks)**