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KIRIRI WOMENS' UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION, 2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR FOURTH YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Date: 7th **August, 2019 Time:** 9.00am – 11.00am

KBA 424 - COMPANY LAW

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

a) Explain the content of Memorandum of Association.	(6 Marks)
b) Explain types of capital.	(6 Marks)
c) Briefly explain the classification of company meetings	(6 Marks)
d) Explain functions of promoters	(6 Marks)
e) List the purpose of prospectus	(6 Marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

a) The types of shares which can be created and issued by a company are not prescribed in the company act. They depend on the provision of the company constitution, usually the article of association. Explain.

(10 Marks)

b) Describe the role of the capital markets authority

(10 Marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain the concept of lifting the corporate veil under statutory provisions. (10 Marks)
- b) Explain the methods by which public companies raise their capital adopted in Kenya along with English model. (10 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) A company is regarded as a separate legal entity from its members. Explain practical consequences of incorporation (10 Marks)
- b) Describe down listing requirements at the Nairobi stock exchange general eligibility requirements for public offering of shares and listing (10Marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain position of promoters as regards pre-incorporation contracts (7 Marks)
- b) Describe the qualification, legal status and liabilities of the company secretary in Kenya organizations (7 Marks)
- c) Explain the functions and powers of chairman (6 Marks)