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KIRIRI WOMENS' UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
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CERTIFICATE IN HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
CBM 206 - BUSINESS LAW

Date: 17th December, 2020.
Time: 3.00pm – 5.00pm

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain five features of Legal entities and cite relevant examples [10 Marks]
- b) Explain five differences between a partnership and a company [5 Marks]
- c) Briefly describe five types of corporations that exist in any business context [5 Marks]
- d) Describe five disadvantages of law in any social set up [5 Marks]
- e) In relation to contract law, highlight five instances that can lead to termination of a valid contract [5 Marks]

QUESTION TWO [20 MARKS]

- a) Explain five exceptions of law of agency and cite relevant examples where appropriate [5 Marks]
- b) Explain the relevance of ostensible authority and express authority as applicable in agency law [5 Marks]
- c) Give five differences between criminal and civil law [5 Marks]
- d) Enumerate five functions of the constitution in Kenya [5 Marks]

QUESTION THREE [20 MARKS]

- a) Explain five instances where international law is applicable [5 Marks]
- b) Explain five codified sources of law [5 Marks]
- c) Describe five functions of the Supreme Court in Kenya [5 Marks]
- d) Explain five components of a valid contract [5 Marks]

QUESTION FOUR [20 MARKS]

- a) Give five differences between a sale and hire purchase [5 Marks]
- b) Explain five insurance philosophies that regulate the conduct of parties in a contract [5 Marks]
- c) Give five distinctions between law of tort and law of insurance [5 Marks]
- d) Distinguish between substantive and procedural law and cite appropriate examples [5 Marks]

QUESTION FIVE [20 Marks]

- a) List five features of law [5 Marks]
- b) Explain duties and responsibilities of a hirer in hire purchase law [5 Marks]
- c) Describe that can make hire purchase contract null and void in the court of law [5 Marks]

d) Discuss five advantages of delegated legislations
Marks]

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