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SCHOOL OF LEADERSHIP, BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN PROCUREMENT AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2019

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: BUSINESS STUDIES

COURSE CODE: DSM202

COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

EXAM DATE: THURSDAY 5th DECEMBER 2019

DURATION: 2 HOURS

TIME: 9:00AM-11:00AM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Write your **STUDENT NUMBER** in the Answer Booklet given
- *Write clearly and legibly.*
- This exam script consists of **Six (6)** questions.
- Answer question **ONE** and ANY other **three** Questions.
- *ALL PAC University's examination rules and regulations apply*

QUESTION ONE: COMPULSORY

a) Explain the meaning of:

i. Public Procurement **(1 Mark)**

ii. Request for proposal **(1 Mark)**

iii. Ethics **(1 Mark)**

iv. Open tendering **(1 Mark)**

b) Differentiate obsolete, unserviceable and surplus items. **(3 Marks)**

c) Outline THREE methods for prevention of fraud and corruption in procurement processes. **(3 Marks)**

d) Briefly explain FIVE challenges of public procurement reforms in Kenya. **(5 Marks)**

e) Highlight FIVE building blocks for successful Public-Private Partnerships. **(5 Marks)**

f) Explain FIVE key principles of public procurement. **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO

a) According to the Public Procurement and Disposal Act, 2015, highlight FOUR target groups that the preferences and reservation schemes apply to when soliciting tenders. **(4 Marks)**

b) Explain THREE procurement methods used in public procurement. **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE

a) Outline FIVE methods used in public disposal of assets. **(4 Marks)**

b) According to the Public Procurement and Assent Disposal Act, 2015, describe the procedure for public disposal of assets. **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

a) Outline TWO benefits of having a code of ethics and conduct in an organization. **(2 Marks)**

b) Discuss FOUR Principles underpinning Ethics and Probity in Procurement. **(8 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

As stipulated in the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act, 2015, highlight FIVE functions of the following bodies:

a) National Treasury **(5 Marks)**

b) Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION SIX

a) Discuss FOUR factors that necessitated the enactment of the Public Private Partnerships Act in Kenya. **(4 Marks)**

b) Explain THREE differences between Public and Private Sector Procurement. **(6 Marks)**