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FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

EXAM CODE: BBM 441

**EXAM TITLE: PROJECT AND CONTROL
MANAGEMENT IN PURCHASING**

DATE: 15TH APRIL, 2015 TIME: 2.00 P.M. – 5.00 P.M.

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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BBM 441: PROJECT & CONTRACT MANAGEMENT IN PURCHASING

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer questions ONE and any other THREE questions.

Question One

- a) Differentiate between project & project management. (6 Marks)
- b) What is a project life cycle? Discuss the four phases of a project life cycle. (12 Marks)
- c) Identify & discuss the defining attributes of a project. (7 Marks)

Question Two

- a) Define the term contract giving relevant examples. (5 Marks)
- b) A binding contract between Two parties has four essential elements, discuss. (10 Marks)

Question Three

Most firms are sourcing their supplies from foreign countries; discuss the reasons behind foreign purchasing and the potential challenges that may arise while undertaking the same. (15 Marks)

Question Four

Explain the following terms as used in purchasing and supplies analysis.

- a) Warranties. (3 Marks)
- b) Inspection. (3 Marks)
- c) Breach of contracts. (3 Marks)
- d) Acceptance & Rejection of goods. (3 Marks)
- e) Commercial Arbitration. (3 Marks)

Question Five

Briefly explain what is tendering & tendering procedures (5 Marks)

Identify & discuss the challenges facing the tendering process in the public sector in Kenya. (10Marks).

Question Six

As a professional purchaser, you are required to have knowledge of commercial law, discuss the legal authority & the personal liability of a purchasing officer. (15Marks).