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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS FOR DEGREE IN BACHELOR OF HOTEL & HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

BMG 4440: QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: APRIL 2015 TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

 Answer question ONE (Compulsory) in Section A and any other TWO questions in Section B.

This paper consists of Two printed pages

SECTION A (Compulsory)

QUESTION 1

a) Explain why leadership is key in implementing a quality management system. (15 marks)

b) Illustrate the steps necessary to implement a quality management system. (15 marks)

SECTION B (Answer any **TWO** questions)

QUESTION 2

Explain the philosophy behind continuous improvement in managing quality. (20 marks)

QUESTION 3

Discuss any **FIVE** dimensions of service quality that can be used to evaluate quality of services in a tourist hotel. (20 marks)

QUESTION 4

Evaluate the effectiveness of different tools used for collecting customer feedback in hospitality firms.

(20 marks)

QUESTION 5

Describe the typical life cycle of a team in quality management.

(20 marks)