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DIPLOMA IN LOGISTICS AND TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT

BLT 2110: WAREHOUSING AND INVENTORY MANAGEMENT

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: DECEMBER 2014

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- This paper consists of **FIVE** questions.
- Answer question **ONE (Compulsory)** and any other **TWO** questions.

This paper consists of Two printed pages.

QUESTION 1 (Compulsory)

- a) Explain the impact of IT in inventory management. **(10 marks)**
- b) Discuss **THREE** methods that may be used to control stock in warehousing. **(10 marks)**
- c) Explain security measures that may be put in place in a warehouse. **(10 marks)**

QUESTION 2

- a) Discuss the legal requirements for safety and security at the work place. **(10 marks)**
- b) Explain the environmental concerns for waste management. **(10 marks)**

QUESTION 3

- a) Explain the principles of materials handling. **(10 marks)**
- b) Discuss measures to put in place in prevention of deterioration of stock. **(10 marks)**

QUESTION 4

- a) Analyse the push factors for in-house service provision. **(10 marks)**
- b) Explain the limitations of using third party contractors. **(10 marks)**

QUESTION 5

- a) Write short notes on the following topics:
 - i) ERP
 - ii) MRP**(10 marks)**
- b) Highlight **FOUR** environmental procurement sustainable policies. **(10 marks)**