# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

## SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

**Department of Business Administration** 

# **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR ALL DIPLOMA.**

## **BEN 2202: BUSINESS PLANNING**

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES:FEB-MAY 2016

# TIME:2 HOURS

<u>CLASS:</u> DSM,DPMM,DLTM,DPT,DAC,DCDC,DCHM,DHIM,DME,DBCE,DICT,DIS,DBM,DHM ,DFO,DBA,DA

**INSTRUCTIONS.** 

# THIS PAPER CONSISTS OF FIVE QUESTIONS.

Answer question one compulsory, and any other two questions.

## **QUESTION ONE**

a. A business should be a viable venture. Explain (10 Marks)
b. What are the components of a business description plan (10 Marks)
c. Explain the following terms as used in business planning (10 Marks)
-Viability
-Sustainability
-Market segmentation
-Capital

### **2 QUESTION TWO**

-Facility

Discuss the uses of a business plan. (10 Marks)

Discuss the importance of a financial advisor. (10 Marks)

#### **3. QUESTION THREE**

Discuss various methods of advertising and promotion. (10 Marks)

Discuss the product life cycle giving characteristics of each stage (10 Marks)

### **QUESTION FOUR**

Discuss the role of the management team in the success of a business. (10 Marks)

Elaborate on the characteristics of operational plan (10 Marks)

### **QUESTION FIVE**

What are the financial objectives of a business/firm (10 Marks)

Discuss atleast five emerging issues and trends in business planning (10 Marks)