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BDS4407: LEGAL AND POLICY ISSUES IN PROJECT MANAGEMENT

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Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

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

Do not write on the question paper.

Section A: Compulsory

Question One

- (a). What are project management policies and procedures? (2 marks)
- (b). Explain the key underlying principle of Environmental Impact Assessment. (2 marks)
- (c). Briefly discuss the key areas that the Occupational safety and Health policy in an organization should include. (8 marks)
- (d). Briefly discuss four qualities a project procurement and management unit should possess.
(8 marks)
- (e). Briefly discuss four methods of risk management. (8 marks)
- (f). Explain the single most important achievement of the Employment Act 2007. (2 marks)

Section B: Answer any TWO questions

Question Two

(a). Explain two reasons that make project management policies and procedures important.

(4 marks)

(b). Briefly discuss three activities NEMA engages in in its pursuit to create environmental awareness. (6 marks)

(c). “The main objective of an environmental audit is to assess an organization’s activities in relation to a number of measures it has put in place. Briefly discuss five of these. (10 marks)

Question Three

Briefly discuss ten policy measures employers should take in order to provide a safe and healthy work environment. (20 marks)

Question Four

(a). “He who acts through other acts himself”. Explain the significance of this statement in relation to the Law of Transfer. (2 marks)

(b). Differentiate between a valid contract and an unenforceable contract. (4 marks)

(c). Briefly discuss seven fundamental principles of insurance. (14 marks)

Question Five

Briefly discuss ten key highlights of the Employment Act 2007 which helped improve the work environment in Kenya. (20 marks)