

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCE UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE: DIPLOMA IN SHIPPING BSP 2202: SHIPPING BUSINESS. SERIES: AUGUST 2019

TIME:2HOURS

Instructions to Candidates

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Answer question one (**COMPULSORY**) and any other

two questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

SECTION A. (COMPULSORY)

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

(a) Ships and other water going vessels are the main means of marine transport. Examine any FIVE classes of modern merchant ships (10 MARKS).
 (b) Marine cargo may be transported from one sea port to another. Discuss any FIVE classes of marine cargo (10 MARKS).
 (c) Explain any FIVE advantages of marine transport (10 MARKS)

SECTION B: ATTEMPT ANY TWO QUESTIONS (40 MARKS)

QUESTION TWO.

- (a) (Explain any FIVE roles of UNACTAD in marine transport industry (10 MARKS)
- (b) A good sea port has unique characteristics. Explain any FIVE such unique characteristics

(10 MARKS)

QUESTION THREE.

- (a) Analyze any **FIVE** costs associated with shipping business (10 MARKS).
- (b) Highlight any FIVE reasons why most business investors in shipping industry are reluctant to indulge in fraudulent activities
 (10 MARKS).

QUESTION FOUR.

- (a) Shipping business has some specific fundamentals. Discuss any FIVE such fundamentals of shipping (10 MARKS).
- (b) Examine any **FIVE** resources that are critical in handling shipping operations(10 MARKS).

QUESTION FIVE.

- (a) Explain any **FIVE** shipping models that may be adapted by the shipping by the investors in shipping marine cargo (10 MARKS)
- (b) Analyze any FIVE strategies that are typically used in speeding up the growth of shipping sector (10 MARKS).