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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE:

DIPLOMA IN CATERING AND ACCOMMODATION MANAGEMENT

(DCAM J24, DCAM M24)

HHC 2205: FOOD AND BEVERAGE CONTROL IN CATERING OPERATIONS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: APRIL 2025

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick Date Apr 25

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 (Answer all the questions)

30 POINTS

QUESTION ONE

- a) Outline and explain four forms used in the stores as used in food and beverage control (8 marks)
- b) Outline six aims of food and beverage control (6 marks)
- c) Outline eight objectives of volume forecasting (8 marks)
- d) Identify four purchasing methods (4 marks)
- e) Define food and beverage control (2 marks)

SECTION B (Answer only TWO questions)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss seven care procedures of stores in catering establishments(14marks)
- b) Explain each of the following policies
 - i. Financial policy(2marks)
 - ii. Marketing policy(2marks)
 - iii. Catering policy(2marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Explain the following terms
 - i. Material cost(2marks)
 - ii. Labor cost(2marks)
 - iii. Overhead costs(2marks)
- b) State and explain seven equipment used in receiving(14marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) DCAM Restaurant had the following for its March 2025 records. Purchases consumed for March period ksh 30000, opening stock on the March 1 ksh5000 and closing stock ksh7000 with staff food amounting to 1000 For March
 - i. Calculate average stock for March(4marks)
 - ii. Calculate the material costs(4marks)
- b) List and explain six equipment and forms used in receiving(12marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Describe five factors to put into consideration when pricing menu items(10marks)
- b) Explain five factors that determine the level of stock that a facility will keep(8marks)