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DIPLOMA IN HOTEL MANAGEMENT

DIPLOMA IN TOURISM MANAGEMENT

(DHM J10/ DTM J10)

ENTREPRENEURSHIP EDUCATION

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: APRIL/MAY 2010

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions

1. This paper consists of **TWO** Section **A & B**.
2. Section **A** is **COMPULSORY**. Answer ALL Questions.
3. Section **B** is Answer **TWO** Questions only.
4. Switch **OFF** your **MOBILE PHONES**.
5. Answer **ANY TWO** Questions from Section **B**.
6. Cheating in Examination leads to Disqualification.

SECTION A

(Compulsory - 30 Marks)

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Define the following terms:
- (i) Entrepreneur
 - (ii) Entrepreneurship
 - (iii) Self-employed **(6 Marks)**
- (b) Explain **FIVE** qualities/characteristics of a successful entrepreneur. **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Explain **TWO** problems of being self-employed. **(4 Marks)**
- (b) Explain any **FIVE** sources of Business ideas. **(10 Marks)**

SECTION B

(Answer ANY **TWO** Questions.)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Explain factors to consider when starting a business. **(10 Marks)**
- (b) Highlight **FIVE** contributions of an entrepreneur towards National Development. **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Explain the importance of self-employment to an entrepreneur. **(10 Marks)**
- (b) Discuss **FIVE** skills that an entrepreneur should possess before starting a business. **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain **FIVE** advantages of self-employment vs paid employment. **(10 Marks)**
- (b) As an aspiring entrepreneur, explain any **FIVE** sources of business finance. **(10 Marks)**