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COURSE CODE: ABA 337

COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT

EXAM VENUE:LR

STREAM: (BBA)

DATE: 20/8/14

EXAM SESSION: 9.00 – 11.00AM/PM

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer questions 1 and any other 2 questions .**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

QUESTION ONE:

- a) The objectives of world class procurement organizations move far beyond the traditional belief that procurement's primary role is to obtain goods and services in response to internal needs. Advance four other objectives of procurement. (10mks)
- b) Any product or service desired whose price is over a given threshold is put to tender as the manager of a given modern business. Briefly outline procurements life cycle you will undertake. (10mks)
- c) Explain role and responsibilities of two stakeholders in public procurement. (10mks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss five types of procurement methods that a manager of company may use to acquire goods, services or works. (15mks)
- b) Outline five drivers of public procurement in Kenya. (5mks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) A move to streamline the legal framework under which public procurement and procedures are undertaken is a breath of fresh air in the way public sector business is done, but this reforms has however proven to be quite difficult in developing countries. Discuss. (15mks)
- b) Briefly explain some of the responsibilities of public procurement oversight authority. (5mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) As a chief procurement officer explain five key areas where procurement could be elevating its game to add significant value to your organization. (10mks)
- b) Explain four methodologies for measuring performance at different levels of the public procurement system. (10mks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Write short notes on core values of public procurement oversight authority. (10mks)
- b) Government procurement regulations normally cover all public works services and supply contracts entered into by public authority, list five public sector entities involved. (5mks)
- c) Briefly discuss importance of e-procurement tools. (5mks)