

**UNIVERSITY OF KABIANGA**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2013/2014 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SUPPLIMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMINATION**

**FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT**

**COURSE CODE: BBM 109**

**COURSE TITLE: BUSINESS LAW**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

**ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER THREE QUESTIONS**

**QUESTION ONE**

1. To what extent are the following sources of law in Kenya: (9 marks)
2. The constitution of Kenya
3. Acts of parliament
4. Subsidiary legislation
5. Distinguish between the following terms: (8 marks)
6. Domicile and residence
7. Domicile and nationality
8. In respect to the Sales of Goods Act, highlight and explain **THREE** rights of unpaid seller against the goods. (8 marks)

**QUESTION TWO**

1. What is meant by the discharge of contract? State **FIVE** ways in which a contract can be discharged. (9 marks)
2. State and explain **FOUR** characteristics of negotiable instruments. (6 marks)

**QUESTION THREE**

1. Under the Law of Contract, discuss **SIX** elements of a valid contract. (8 marks)
2. Examine the concept of ‘legal personality’ and describe the various kinds of corporations, giving examples in each. (7 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR**

1. In relation to Partnership Act, list and explain **FOUR** duties of the partners. (5 marks)
2. Outline **FIVE** differences between Partnership and a Company. (10 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

1. Describe **FOUR** classifications of law in your country. (8 marks)
2. Discuss the process of legislation in Kenya. (7 marks)

**QUESTION SIX**

1. Briefly explain the functions of the following: (8 marks)
2. Judicial Service Commission
3. Attorney General
4. Law Society of Kenya
5. Citing relevant examples, list and explain any **FIVE** principles of insurance. (7 marks)