



## GARISSA UNIVERSITY

### UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION **2017/2018** ACADEMIC YEAR **FOUR** **SECOND** SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

COURSE CODE: BBM 441

COURSE TITLE: PURCHASING CODE AND ETHICS

EXAMINATION DURATION: 3 HOURS

**DATE: 08/05/18**

**TIME: 2.00-5.00 PM**

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#### INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- The examination has **SIX (6)** questions
- Question **ONE (1)** is **COMPULSORY**
- Choose any other **THREE (3)** questions from the remaining **FIVE (5)** questions
- Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary
- Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room
- Do not write on this paper

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**QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)**

- (a) Define the following
- i. Corporate Ethics [2 marks]
  - ii. Supply chain [2 marks]
  - iii. Purchasing ethics [2 marks]
  - iv. Business to business ethics [2 marks]
- (b) Describe the functions of supply chain management [7 marks]
- (c) Discuss the issues that form the basis of developing a code of practice for purchasing institutions - to- business ethics [10 marks]

**QUESTION TWO**

Discuss the ethical issues faced by the parties involved in the supply chain process. [15 marks]

**QUESTION THREE**

- (a) Define probity [2 marks]
- (b) State and explain the responsibilities of the compliance department as stated in the procurement act [5 marks]
- (c) Describe how probity decisions should be [8 marks]

**QUESTION FOUR**

- (a) Explain how procurement's level of risk will inform how officials engage with potential suppliers [7 marks]
- (b) Organization in order to reap the benefits of a successful supply chain has to do three kinds of planning. Discuss [8 marks]

**QUESTION FIVE**

Discuss global collaboration in procurement [15 marks]

**QUESTION SIX**

- (a) Describe some of the principles underpinning ethics and probity [7 marks]
- (b) Discuss the ethical business practices in purchasing and supply management under social responsibility [8 marks]

