

GARISSA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR ONE FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMINATION

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

FOR THE DIPLOMA BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

COURSE CODE: DBM 12

COURSE TITLE: SALESMANSHIP

EXAMINATION DURATION: 3 HOURS

DATE: 21/03/18 TIME: 2.00-5.00 PM

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 terms:

i. Personal selling [2 marks]

ii. Order getter [2 marks]

iii. Order taker [2 marks]

(b) State and explain the components of compensation [8 marks]

(c) A company can use one or more several sales approaches to contact customers. In reference to this statement, discuss the sales strategies one can use. [8 marks]

(d) State some of the benefits of direct marketing to sellers [3 marks]

QUESTION TWO

(a) State and explain the benefits of direct marketing to buyers [5 marks]

(b) State and explain the roles of sales force [5 marks]

(c) Define the following

i. Technical support people

ii. Sales assistants

iii. Telemarketers

iv. Direct sales force

v. Contractual sales force

QUESTION THREE

(a) Discuss the main forms of direct marketing [10 marks]

(b) State and explain some of the roles of training sales people [5 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

(a) Discuss the different types of sales force structures [10 marks]

(b) State and explain the characteristics of sales people [5 marks]

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the ethical issues in relation to salesmanship [15 marks]

QUESTION SIX

Discuss the personal selling process [15 marks]