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CAMS LEVEL I

INTRODUCTION TO LAW AND ETHICS

MONDAY: 26 November 2018.

Time Allowed: 3 hours.

Answer any THREE questions in SECTION I and any TWO questions in SECTION II. ALL questions carry equal marks.

SECTION I

QUESTION ONE

- (a) In the context of sources of law, define the term "equity". (2 marks)
- (b) Summarise six rights of the buyer under a sale of goods contract. (6 marks)
- (c) State four types of unwritten law which are applicable in your country. (4 marks)
- (d) In relation to the law of contract, list eight categories of contracts. (8 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

- (a) With reference to classification of law, list five forms of punishment which the court might impose upon an accused person under criminal law. (5 marks)
- (b) In the context of the law of torts, explain four essential elements of a tort. (8 marks)
- (c) (i) With reference to religious law, explain the term "Islamic law". (1 mark)
- (ii) Highlight three types of disputes under which Islamic law might be applicable. (6 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Explain the meaning of the term "natural person". (2 marks)
- (b) Summarise three distinguishing features between nationality and citizenship. (6 marks)
- (c) List six negative characteristics of a partnership as a form of an unincorporated association. (6 marks)
- (d) Describe the magistrates court under the following sub-headings:
- (i) Establishment. (1 mark)
- (ii) Composition. (5 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Outline six legal requirements for starting a business in your country. (6 marks)
- (b) State six ways in which the constitution of your country asserts the concept of "supremacy of the constitution". (6 marks)
- (c) Highlight five demerits of delegated legislation as a source of law. (5 marks)
- (d) List three pre-registration processes which could be undertaken before starting a small business. (3 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

SECTION II

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) With reference to foundations of ethics, explain the following:
- (i) Morality. (2 marks)
 - (ii) Values. (2 marks)
 - (iii) Ethical culture. (2 marks)
- (b) Summarise five differences between morals and ethics. (10 marks)
- (c) State four personal integrity character traits. (4 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION SIX

- (a) Suggest six types of sanctions which regulatory bodies might impose on their members for violating a code of conduct and ethics. (6 marks)
- (b) Outline six guiding principles of leadership and integrity enshrined in the constitution of your country. (6 marks)
- (c) Basic moral principles represent the wisdom of human experience over the ages.
- With reference to the above statement, explain four universal moral principles. (8 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**

QUESTION SEVEN

- (a) List six penalties imposed on public servants for violation of the Public Officers Ethics Act. (6 marks)
- (b) Suggest six reasons why a professional body could establish a code of conduct and ethics for its members. (6 marks)
- (c) State four essential elements of a company's whistleblower policy on ethical violations. (8 marks)
- (Total: 20 marks)**
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