



**SCHOOL OF COMPUTING AND ENGINEERING SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF COMPUTER NETWORK SYSTEMS/BACHELOR OF BUSINESS &
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
BBT 4203/CNS 4106: BUSINESS LAW
END OF SEMESTER EXAM**

Date: 4th August 2023

Time: 2 Hours

Instructions:

1. This Examination consists of **FIVE** questions
2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions.

QUESTION 1

- a) Discuss the law-making process in Kenya **(16 Marks)**
- b) Citing relevant examples distinguish between substantive and procedural statutes **(4 Marks)**
- c) What are five critical clauses to be considered when reviewing and employment contract **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION 2

- a) Briefly discuss any **TWO** defenses to defamation **(4 Marks)**
- b) Discuss registration of copyright citing relevant statutory provisions in Kenya **(5 Marks)**
- c) Citing relevant examples discuss what happens when a copyright is infringed **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION 3

- a) Critically looking at aspects of the law of contract ;
 - i. What is a contract? (any of the below answers is acceptable) **(2 Marks)**
 - ii. Define consideration **(2 Marks)**
 - iii. Distinguish between executed consideration and past consideration **(3 Marks)**
 - iv. Citing relevant examples differentiate express contracts from implied contracts **(8 Marks)**

QUESTION 4

- a) Discuss some of the critical aspects contained in a partnership deed **(12 Marks)**
- b) Some of the benefits of registration of a company **(3 Marks)**

QUESTION 5

- a) Discuss the following essentials of a contract of a valid; **(15 Marks)**
 - i. Offer and acceptance
 - ii. Intention to create legal relationship
 - iii. Lawful object
 - iv. Possibility of performance
 - v. Capacity to do so, they must be the age of majority and they must be mentally sound