



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

(A Constituent College of Kenyatta University)
University Examinations for 2015/2016 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND MANAGEMENT
SCIENCES

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN PROCUREMENT AND
SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

PROJECT AND CONTRACT MANAGEMENT

Date: 7/12/2015

Time: 11:00 – 1:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Question One is Compulsory
 - Attempt any two other question
1. (a) Outline three parameters of project management and their corresponding control tools. (12 marks)
 - (b) Highlight the stages involved in negotiation for contracts. (12 marks)
 - (c) Highlight the features of projects that differentiate them from conventional management. (8 marks)
 2. (a) Describe the stages involved in tendering procedure for projects. (10 marks)
 - (b) Explain the organizational factors that may affect the implementation stage of projects. (10 marks)

3. (a) Highlight ten clauses that may be incorporated in a contract for projects. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain five activities that could be carried out before undertaking a negotiation exercise for projects. (10 marks)
4. (a) Explain the functions of Inspection and Acceptance Committee (IAC) in line with project management. (10 marks)
- (b) Kimondix Ltd., a construction Firm has sub-contracted Mriu Company ltd. to assist in a road construction project. Explain the reasons that might have led to the arrangement. (10 marks)
5. (a) Explain the ways a client may institute to ensure control of risks during project execution. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain the distinguishing features between Litigation and Arbitration as methods of dispute resolution in Project Management. (10 marks)