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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF COMMERCE

COURSE CODE: BCE 355E

COURSE TITLE: MANAGEMENT OF COOPERATIVES

DATE: 12/02/2021

TIME: 8.00AM-10.00AM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- 1) The paper contains **FIVE** questions
- 2) Attempt THREE questions
- 3) Question ONE is Compulsory

TIME: 2 Hours

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OUESTION ONE

You are intending to form a cooperative society with your friends dealing in savings and credit. a). What will be the guiding principles for this cooperative society (10mks)

b). How should the government address challenges in cooperative training and education in Kenya?

(10mks)

c). Discuss the responsibilities of the management committee in cooperative societies (10mks

QUESTION TWO

- a). Misunderstandings and conflicts are bound to arise between members and management. What would you suggest to be the causes of conflict in cooperatives? (10mks)
- b). What are the benefits of cooperatives in Kenya? (10mks)

QUESTION THREE

- a). Explain the purpose of general meetings (10mks)
- b). The cooperative movement has permeated all sectors of the economy and is instrumental in raising the economic position of its members . Suggest ways through which the government may enhance growth of the cooperative movement in Kenya (10mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a). What is meant by cooperative accounting and audit? (5mks)
- b). Trace the development of cooperatives between 1900 and 1970 (15mks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a). What are the powers of the commissioner during liquidation?
- b). The Apex of all co-operative societies is the International Co-operative Alliance

(10mks)

(ICA). Discuss the objectives of ICA (10mks)