

KIBABII UNIVERSITY



UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CO-
OPERATIVE AND ENTERPRENUERSHIP MANAGEMENT**

COURSE CODE: CMP 313

COURSE TITLE: COOPERATIVES LAW

DATE: 31/07/2023 TIME: 11:00-1:00PM

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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QUESTION ONE

Mr. Kamau who is a potter has approached you and explained to you that himself and his other colleagues (70) intends to register a Co-operative Society. He wants some advice from you. Advice him on;

- (a) the procedure they will use to register their cooperative society and the legal requirements thereto (10 marks)
- (b) The legal consequences of the registration of their cooperative society (10 marks)
- (c) The main content of their intended laws (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Discuss the sources of cooperative law in Kenya (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Explain the qualification for membership to a cooperative society as provided under 5.14 of the cooperative societies Act of 1997 as amended in 2014 (6 marks)
- (b) Discuss the various ways in which one can become a member to a cooperative society in Kenya (4 marks)
- (c) Explain the various right of a member to a cooperative society (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Explain "amalgamation" as used in cooperative law (2 marks)
- (b) Explain the procedure of conducting amalgamation in Kenya (10 marks)
- (c) Discuss the legal consequences of amalgamation (8 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Write explanatory notes on the following

- (a) Inquiry (5 marks)
- (b) General meetings (5 marks)
- (c) Borrowing powers (5 marks)
- (d) Role of a liquidator (5 marks)