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SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM

UNIT CODE: HT1247

MAIN EXAM

UNIT TITLE: LAW RELATING TO CATERING

CLASS: HT/FB/16D

SEMESTER: MAY-AUG 2016

DATE: 26TH JULY, 2016

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This paper consists of TWO sections, A and B.
2. Section A is compulsory.
3. Attempt any THREE questions from section B.

SECTION A; (COMPULSORY) 30 MKS

QUESTION ONE

- a). Outline three forms of trespass to a person (3mks)
- b). Cite *four* requirements one may need when applying for a hotel license. (4mks)
- c). Outline *six* conditions that may lead to the cancellation of a contract. (6mks)
- d). Describe *six* innkeepers rights in reference to his guests. (6mks)
- e). Explain the meaning of the following terms as applied in law.
 - i. State law. (2mks)
 - ii. Duty of care. (2mks)
 - iii. Tort. (2mks)
- f). Outlines *five* rights of an employee at the workplace. (5mks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS FROM THIS SECTION.(40MKS)

QUESTION TWO

- a). States any *five* duties of care a hotel operator owes to guests. (5mks)

- b). law is said to cut through all aspects of life. With reference to this statement, outline *six* purposes of law in your country (6mks)
- c). State *two* differences between criminal and civil law. (4mks)
- b). Highlight *five* reasons that may lead to dissolution of a partnership. (5mks)

QUESTION THREE

- a). Explain the meaning of probation as applied in law. (2mks)
- b). Explain *five* duties of partners in a partnership as provided by the partnership Act 1890. (10mks)
- c). Identify *three* situations in which a hotel owner may refuse to provide accommodation to a client. (3mks)
- d). Highlight *five* general defences for tort. (5mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a). Explain *five* essentials of a contract. (10mks)
- b). In choosing a form of business enterprise, a number of considerations have to be put in place. Explain *five* rights of partners in a partnership agreement. (10mks)