

# MASENO UNIVERSITY **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017**

# FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

## **HOMA-BAY CAMPUS**

**ABA 434: OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY** 

Date: 27th November, 2016

Time: 2.00 - 5.00 pm

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.
- Question ONE carries 30 marks while the rest carry 20 marks each
- Show your workings clearly

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#### QUESTION ONE

- (a) Explain the significance of Information Technology (IT) in occupational health and safety (15 Marks)
- (a) Occupational health and safety policies and programmes deal with the prevention of ill-health arising from organizational working conditions.
  Discuss. (15 Marks)

#### QUESTION TWO

(a) Critically examine the responsibilities of the employer as per section 6 under the occupational safety and health Act Number 15 of 2007 laws of Kenya.

(10 Marks)

(b) Explain the significance of occupational health services in organizational work place (10 Marks)

#### QUESTION THREE

- (a) Health and safety concerns everyone in an organization although the main responsibility lies with the management in general and individual employees in particular. Explain. (10 Marks)
- (b) Discuss the need for health and safety training in an organization. (10 Marks)

#### QUESTION FOUR

- (a) The purpose of risk assessment is to initiate preventive actions regarding the organizational health and safety issues. Discuss (10 Marks)
- (b) Critically evaluate the emerging issues in regard to health and safety concerns in organizations. (10 Marks)

### **QUESTION FIVE**

- (a) Critically evaluate the accident prevention actions necessary in an organizational working environment. (10 Marks)
- (b) Discuss the history of occupational health and safety in Kenya (10 Marks