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## KIRIRI WOMENS' UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION, 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION)

> Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> August, 2022 Time: 2.30pm –4.30pm

## **KBA 305 - BUSINESS LEADERSHIP AND STRATEGY**

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

#### ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

### **QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

a) Identify three leadership Styles.

(3 Marks)

b) Identify and briefly explain the 5Ps that define the scope of Strategy.

(5 Marks)

c) Name three forms of Organizational Strategy

(3 Marks)

d) Briefly explain strategic internal factors of a firm that makes it competitive

(5 Marks)

e) Identify and briefly explain three forces that shape competition in an industry

(6 Marks)

f) Mention Four main elements of Strategic Management

(4 Marks)

g) Identify three fundamental elements to consider in formulating a Mission by the Owner Manager of a firm.

(3 Marks)

h) Describe Three ways in which technology influences the behaviour of people in an organization

(3 Marks)

## **QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

a) Explain five interpersonal skills of an effective leader

(10 Marks)

b) discuss five theories of leadership indicating their limitations in today's management of organizations (10 Marks)

### **QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

a)	According to Thompson and Strickland (1987), formulation of a Strategy	goes through a pr	ocess
	with some identifiable steps: Identify these steps		
		(8 Marks)	

b) Mention and explain three main reasons for the formulation of a firm's Strategy (6 Marks)

c) Identify and explain three forms of organizational strategy (6 Marks)

# **QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a) State and briefly explain three qualities of long-term objectives (6 marks)
- b) Enumerate and explain three factors that determine Supplier's power (6 Marks)
- c) Evaluate four strengths a firm may posses under SWOT analysis (8 Marks)

# **QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a) Briefly explain four main components of strategic planning process (8 Marks)
- b) Explain three levels of an organization structure of a firm (6 Marks)
- c) Describe Three forms of relationships in a work organization (6 Marks)