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**COLLEGE OF BUSINESS PEACE LEADERSHIP AND
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MPM 203: RESEARCH METHODS EXAMINATION

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: (3 HRS)

INSTRUCTIONS

ANSWER four QUESTIONS

Q1.

- i. Why is it so important to take ethics or moral principles into an account when a research is made? Give reasons for your answer.
- ii. A research is interested in sensitive information from a group of people. The individuals are unwilling to give this information. The information can, however, be obtained through others by the use of specific techniques'' Do you think this raises ethical dilemmas? [25 MARKS]

Q2.

- i. Briefly discuss a reasonable guideline in constructing a questionnaire.
- ii. Examine the merits and demerits of collecting data through questionnaires. [25 MARKS]

Q3. i. What do you think are major sources of research problems? [25 MARKS]

- ii. Why do researchers review existing literature when conducting research?
[25 MARKS]

Q4. Elaborate various non probability sampling techniques along with their advantages and disadvantages. [25 MARKS]

Q5 Outline and then describe the various steps in scientific research. [25 MARKS]

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