

# COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, PEACE, LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE COURSE CODE AND TITLE: PSM 533 ETHICS AND PROFESSIONALISM (HARARE AND MUTARE PARALLEL)-2 END OF FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2017

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**DURATION:3 HOURS** 

**INSTRUCTIONS** ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS IN SECTION A AND THREE QUESTIONS IN SECTION B

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# SECTION A

### **QUESTION 1**

Basing yourself on the following biblical verse "Again I tell you, it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God" (Matt 19:24), Explain the context in which business ethics emerged as an academic discipline.

### **QUESTION 2**

According to Milton Friedman, "the only responsibility of business is to maximize profit". Discuss

## **QUESTION 3**

Discuss the view that morality is not needed in business especially when there are legal dispositions and courts to handle disputes.

## **QUESTION 4**

What are the ethical pros and cons of socialism as an economic system?

#### **SECTION B**

# **QUESTION 5**

Discuss ethical concerns raised by the advocacy for animal rights.

#### **QUESTION 6**

Explain the procurement process and identify practices that may raise ethical concerns.

## **QUESTION 7**

What role can religion play in promoting ethical practice in the public sector.

# **QUESTION 8**

Discuss the ethical dilemma linked with the production and commercialization of deadly weapons.

### **QUESTION 9**

Using concrete examples, discuss situation where failure to provide basic services to the poor became a matter of ethical concern and suggest solutions.

# **QUESTION 10**

One emerging area of concern in current business practice is the protection of intellectual property. Discuss briefly the main issues involved.

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