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SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

COURSE CODE: CIEN 001

COURSE TITLE:FUNDAMENTALS OF ENTERPRENEURSHIP

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. SECTION A IS **COMPULSORY.**
- 2. SECTION B: ANSWER ANY OTHER **THREE** QUESTIONS.
- 3. **DO NOT** WRITE ANYTHING ON THIS QUESTION PAPER AS IT WILL BE AN EXAM IRREGULARITY.
- 4. ALL ROUGH WORK SHOULD BE AT THE BACK OF YOUR ANSWER BOOKLET AND CROSSED OUT.

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SECTION A: COMPULSORY

Question One

- a) An entrepreneur is someone who detects a previously untapped opportunity to make some profits. Discuss contribution of entrepreneurship to national development. [10 marks]
- b) Entrepreneurs have their own typical qualities depending on their social, economic,
 political and cultural environment. Identify at least three main types of entrepreneurs.
 [10 mark]
- c) Motivation refers to a drive that is sufficiently pressing to direct the person to seek satisfaction of the need while a need becomes a motive when it is aroused to a sufficient level of intensity. Identify five internal entrepreneurial motivation factors.
 [10 marks]
- **d**)A partnership is an association of two or more persons who come together to carry on a business with a view to making profit. Discuss the advantages of sole proprietorship.

 [10 marks]

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

Question Two

- a) A business opportunity is an attractive idea which provides the possibility of a return for the entrepreneur taking the risk. Discuss five characteristics of a good business opportunity

 [10 marks]
- b) Values, norms and beliefs guide the society towards acceptable behaviour which leads to formation of good habits which may promote entrepreneurial development. Outline factors that may inhibit entrepreneurial development. [10 marks]

a)

Question three

- a) For a business to succeed the right approach must be followed. State five factors to consider when starting an enterprise.[10 marks]
- b) A business enterprise can finance its operation from various sources. Outline five sources of finance to business.[10 marks]

Question Four

- a) Marketing is used to identify the customer, to keep the customer and to satisfy the customer. Highlight the components of marketing.[10 marks]
- **b)** Management is necessary because resources are scarce and factors such as employees and technology costs keep changing. Highlight qualities of a good manager. [10 marks]

Question five

- a) business plan is a written document justifying the business and gives a step-by-step explanation of how the business will achieve its goals. Explain the components of a good business plan.
 [10 marks]
- **b**) Social responsibility refers to the fact that businesses should not just be concerned with profit maximisation but should do so in a socially responsible manner. Identify types of enterprise social responsibility. [10marks]