

MURANG'A UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGMENT

UNIVERSITY SPECIAL/RESIT EXAMINATION 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND ENTREPRISE MANAGEMENT

BHE 302 – ENTERPRISE ENVIRONMENT

DURATION: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. Answer all questions in Section A and any other two from Section B.
- 2. Mobile phones are not allowed in the examination room.
- 3. You are not allowed to write on this examination question paper.

SECTION A – ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

| a. | Define the term Business Environment. | (2 marks) |
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| b. | Highlight the importance of business ethics. | (5 marks) |
| c. | State FIVE ways the Government of Kenya interacts with SMES. | (5 marks) |
| d. | Explain FOUR emerging issues in business environment. | (8 marks) |
| e. | Highlight FIVE sources of Finance for SMES. | (5 marks) |
| f. | Outline the elements of economic environment. | (5 marks) |

SECTION B – ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a. The micro-environment affects the performance of a Company and its ability to serve the customers. Discuss FIVE business Micro-environments. (10 marks)
- b. Determine the significance of a political environment to a business. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a. Discuss the impact of international environment to a business. (10 marks)
- b. Explain different ways SMES cope with legal environment. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a. Outline the process of how to start a small business. (10 marks)
- b. Discuss cultural factors inhibiting entrepreneurial development in Kenya. (10 marks)