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END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION APRIL-2016

**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF CO-OPERATIVE
BUSINESS / BACHELOR OF CO-OPERATIVE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
(YR I SEM I / YR I SEM II)**

UNIT CODE: HCOB 2110 / COCC 2113

UNIT TITLE: BUSINESS LAW I

DATE: 12TH APRIL, 2016

TIME: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question **ONE (compulsory)** and any other **TWO** questions

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Explain any FIVE purposes of law (10 marks)
- (b) Discuss FIVE ways in which an offer can be terminated (10 marks)
- (c) State and explain FIVE general defenses in the law of Tort (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Define agency and further analyze the duties of an agent (10 marks)
- (b) State and explain the sources of law as provided for under the Judicature Act (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) What are the general remedies for a breach of contract (10 marks)
- (b) Generally an agent is not liable for acts arising out of the ordinary duties of an agency relationship. Discuss the instances where an agent will be held personally liable (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss any FIVE essential elements of a valid contract (10 marks)
- (b) Explain the various instances when an agency can be terminated (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the establishment and jurisdiction of its superior courts in Kenya as provided for under the constitution (20 marks)