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EXAMINATION PAPER

MODULE CODE : CPS121
MODULE TITLE : PRINCIPLES OF LOGISTICS AND TRANSPORT
DURATION : 3 Hours
LEVEL : 1.2
DATE

12 JUN 2025

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. No cell phones are allowed in the examination venue.
2. Use of silent, non-programmable calculators is allowed
3. Answer question number **one (1)** in Section A (Compulsory) and any other **three (3)** questions in Section B.
4. Begin each question on a new page.
5. The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets []
6. Show all workings, where applicable.

SECTION A: COMPULSORY

QUESTION 1

Explain the importance of logistics in Purchasing and Supply Management.

(25 Marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

QUESTION 2

'With the introduction of new systems and technologies, manufacturing companies can do away without warehouses'. Discuss

(25 Marks)

QUESTION 3

Explain the following terms;

- a) Multi-modal transport **(5 Marks)**
- b) Bill of lading **(5 Marks)**
- c) Unitization **(5 Marks)**
- d) Electronic Data Interchange **(5 Marks)**
- e) Radio Frequency Identification **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION 4

Discuss the different reverse logistics costs as provided in Logistics Management.

(25 Marks)

QUESTION 5

Discuss the four (4) groups of Incoterms as provided by the International Chamber of Commerce, 2010.

(25 Marks)