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**THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF  
BACHELOR OF CO-OPERATIVE**

**BCOP 302: CO-OPERATIVE LAW II**

**STREAMS: BCOP Y3 S1**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 24/3/2021**

**2.30 PM – 4.30 PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

**QUESTION ONE**

- (a) Mr. Okari and a group of friends who are large scale farmers intend to do business of exporting and importing horticultural products for sale in the local market. They intend to start an association that is most suitable for this kind of business. As a co-operative management student advise them of the best association, its requirement and the procedure for registration of the same. [12 Marks]
- (b) In the recent times we have witnessed a lot of graft in our public institutions which is threatening to tear them apart, discuss the challenges of co-operative organizations in Kenya. [8 Marks]
- (c) Explain the advantages of using co-operative tribunals in solving co-operative disputes over courts. [8 Marks]

**QUESTION TWO**

- (a) Elaborate on the benefits of Co-operative in Kenya. [10 Marks]
- (b) Explain five legally recognized exclusive rights to creations of the mind. [10 Marks]

**QUESTION THREE**

- (a) Discuss the mandate of the Ethics commission for Co-operatives. [8 Marks]
- (b) The modern history of cooperatives started with the Rochdale Society of Equitable pioneers; discuss the principles upon which they operated. [12 Marks]

**QUESTION FOUR**

- (a) The common carrier has a duty to carry goods for all persons who choose to employ him for the carriage of goods, Explain when he is not bound to carry goods. [10 Marks]
- (b) Discuss the legal consequences of registration of a society. [10 Marks]

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