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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF  
BACHELOR OF PROCUREMENT AND LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT**

**BPLM 411: E-PROCUREMENT**

**STREAMS: (ODEL)**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE : TUESDAY 5 /10/ 2021**

**2.30 PM – 4.30 PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

- Answer Question One (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO questions
- DO NOT WRITE ANYTHING on the question paper.

1. (i) Discuss the following terms relating to procurement and their respective merits (five of each)
    - (a) E-Procurement [3 Marks]
    - (b) E-environment procurement [2 Marks]
    - (c) Global procurement [2 Marks]
    - (d) Integrated transaction processing systems. [3 Marks]
  - (ii) Using relevant examples enumerate the electronic transaction processing cycle in procurement. [10 Marks]
  - (iii) Advice an organization on the major types of electronic procurement and their importance. [10 Marks]
- Q2. (i) Discuss the main types of E-Transactions Processing Methods and their respective activities. [10 Marks]

- (ii) Vividly discuss any five main challenges of electronic procurement and how they can be mitigated. [10 Marks]
- Q3. (i) Discuss the main objective if application of IFMIS in Kenya. [10 Marks]
- (ii) Discuss using examples the effect of objectives of the e-procurement system implementation strategy. [10 Marks]
- Q4. (i) Discuss the application electronic data interchange and the main advantages an organization may gain. [10 Marks]
- (Using examples write short notes on the following:
- (i) E-tendering [3 Marks]
- (ii) E-catalogue [2 Marks]
- (iii) E-Trade journal [5 Marks]
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