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**FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA
IN PROCUREMENT & LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT**

DPLM 0111: PRINCIPLES OF PROCUREMENT

STREAMS: DPLM (Y1S1)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 07/8/2019

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS) – COMPULSORY

- (a) Define the following terms [10 marks]
- (i) Ethics
 - (ii) Procurement
 - (iii) Inventory
 - (iv) Purchasing
 - (v) Supply chain management
- (b) Discuss the purchasing cycle. [8 marks]
- (c) Discuss the role of purchasing department [5 marks]
- (d) Discuss atleast four procurement methods as stipulated by PPDA 2015 [7 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Describe the benefits of bar coding for the purchasing and supply department. [5 marks]
- (b) Discuss five modern inventory control techniques [10 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Discuss the relationships that exists between procurement and other departments. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss five types of inventories and the role they play in an organization. [5 marks]

QUESTIO FOUR

- (a) Discuss the purchasing supply related fraud activities [6 marks]
- (b) Explain the impact of information technology on daily procurement operations. [5 marks]
- (c) Discuss the roles played by stock records in a store. [4 marks]
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