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**FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR
OF COOPERATIVE MANAGEMENT**

BCOP 432: MICROENTERPRISE PROJECT MANAGEMENT

STREAMS: BCOP

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 08/04/2020

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.**

Q1. A county government in the North Eastern Kenya plans to start a project of planting trees along river banks and hilltops. The project is expected to take a long time to complete as the areas are semi-arid. The county government has negotiated with an international NGO to fund the project. The county government has assured the donor that the project will be successful. The local community supports the project as it will give the jobs and will also improve the lifestyles. The county government has appointed you to be the project manager for the project for a contract of three years.

Required

- (i) The preparations that are necessary before the project can start. (10 marks)
 - (ii) Your responsibilities as a project manager. (10 marks)
 - (iii) The challenges that you are likely to meet while implementing this project. (10 marks)
2. (a) Discuss the importance of carrying out a detailed facility study for a project. (10 marks)
- (b) Discuss any five types of projects that are implemented without a detailed feasibility study. (10 marks)

3. (a) State and explain any five reasons that explain why projects are implemented at a very slow speed in the initial stage. (10 marks)
- (b) State and explain any five reasons for terminating a project before it is completed. (10 marks)
4. (a) Give any five benefits of using external parties in monitoring and evaluating projects. (10 marks)
- (b) Give five reasons to explain why some projects take more time than initially planned. (10 marks)
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