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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE INFORMATION SCIENCE

BRMT 414: RECORDS CONTROL AND SECURITY

STREAMS: BSC (IS)

TIME: 2 HOURS

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- Attempt question ONE and any TWO questions
- Do not write anything on this question paper
- Start every question on a new page

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- (i) Define the following terms as used in records control and security [8 marks]
 - (a) Data security
 - (b) Vital records
 - (c) Electronic records
 - (d) Offsite storage
- (ii) Explain the SIX key areas used in order to ensure records are safe and secure [12 marks]
- (iii) Discuss FIVE reasons why businesses need off-site storage for their records [10 marks]

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- (i) Discuss FIVE factors that should be considered when carrying out damage assessment and salvage of records. [10 marks]
- (ii) Discuss in detail the features of a typical record management disaster recovery plan.

[10 marks]

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QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Discuss the relationship between record management process and record management security

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

(i) Discuss FIVE basic measures that are used when safeguarding electronic records

[10 marks]

(ii) State and explain five types of risks associated with damage and loss of records in an organization [10 marks]

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

(i) Discuss SEVEN computer related crimes that compromise data privacy and security of information [14 marks]
(ii) Clearly elaborate on the THREE principles of data security using appropriate illustrations [6 marks]
