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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN PROCUREMENT AND
LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT**

DPLM 0211: STORES AND INVENTORY MANAGEMENT

STREAMS:

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 12/04/2023

2.30 P.M – 4.30 P.M

INSTRUCTIONS:

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Explain the various types of inventories that can be used by an organization. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss the circumstances under which an organization will hold buffer stock.[10 marks]
- (c) Enumerate the various inventory control techniques. [10 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Discuss the advantages of a coding system to an organization. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain the characteristics of an ideal warehouse. [10 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Discuss the relationship that exists between stores department and other functions. [10 marks]
- (b) Enumerate the various methods of disposal of materials. [10 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Discuss the role of ICT in inventory management. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain the reasons against holding inventory in an organization. [10 marks]
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