

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 91, CADASTRAL ZONE, NNAMDI AZIKWE EXPRESS WAY, JABI – ABUJA FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES 2020_1 EXAMINATION QUESTIONS

COURSE CODE: BUS804 CREDIT UNIT: 2

COURSE TITLE: STRUCTURE AND STRATEGY

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Attempt question number one (1) and any other two (2) questions.
- 2. Question number 1 carries 30 marks, while the other questions carry 20 marks each.
- 3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner.

Question 1 (Compulsory)

- a) What is Strategic Planning (8marks)
- b) Define Corporate Strategy and underscore its need in an Organisation? (8marks)
- c) Mention and explain the levels of strategies? (8marks)
- d) List six (6) Characteristics of Strategy (6marks)

Question 2

List and explain five (5) advantages and five (5) disadvantages of strategic planning in an organization (20 marks)

Question 3

- a) List the ten (10) Dos and five (5) Don'ts of Delegation? (15 marks)
- b) Explain the importance of Mission Statement to an organisation? (5 marks)

Question 4

- a) Mission statement is an integral part of an organisation. In your understanding justify the above statement?
- b) List five (5) properties of a Good Vision Statement?

(20 marks)

Ouestion 5

a) Discuss the significance of organisation structure (10 marks)

b) List five (5) benefits of good planning (10 marks)