



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
DEPARTMENT OF JURISPRUDENCE AND INTERNATIONAL LAW
2021_2 EXAMINATIONS

COURSE TITLE: MARITIME LAW 11

COURSE CODE: JIL532

ANSWER FOUR QUESTIONS ONLY

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

QUESTION NO. ONE IS COMPULSORY

1. The basic idea behind the creation of the right to limit maritime liability was to encourage ship-owners to carry on their business, and capitalists to invest their money in the maritime sector, despite the horrendous perils of the sea, thereby increasing the wealth and influence of maritime nations. Consequence section 352 of the Merchant shipping Act 2007 provides seven headings of claims in which limitation of liability can be claimed. Explain them. 25 marks.
2. Anything constructed or used for the carriage on, through or under water of persons or goods qualify as subject of salvage. What are the subject of rescue in case of hazard in the sea? 15 marks
3. A Towage service may be described as the employment of one vessel to expedite the voyage of another, when nothing more is required than accelerating her progress. Do you agree? if yes what are the role of tugowner and the tow and briefly explain maritime towage in Nigeria.15 marks
4. Lloyd, also known as Lloyd of London, is a British insurance and reinsurance market. It serves as a partially-mutualised marketplace where multiple financial backers, underwriters, or members, whether individuals or corporations, come together to pool and spread risk. Discuss its historical development. 15 marks
5. In voyage policy, the limits of the risk are defined by places and the subject matter of the insurance is insured for only a particular voyage. For instance Port Harcourt to South Africa. Discuss three major policies that covered places. 15 marks.
6. A meteorological account of range of weather conditions which a ship could encounter during the course of a voyage was given by Justice Mustill in the case of The Miss Jay Jay(1985) 1 Lloyd's Rep 264 at 271. Discuss the weather hazards and other hazards you know during voyage. 15 marks