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2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

Course Code: LIS 304
Course Title: MANAGEMENT OF LIBRARIES & INFORMATION CENTRES
Time Allowed: 2hours 15 Minutes
Instruction: Answer Question One & any other Two

QUESTION ONE

- (1a) Based on your knowledge from this course, critically examine **four** (4) the characteristics of management in relation to libraries and information centres **(12marks)**
- (b). You are newly employed as the University Librarian, state **six** (6) importance of delegation of authority in the library among your subordinates?(delete) **(18marks)** Please use this'You have recently been appointed as the University Librarian. Identify six (6) reasons why delegating authority to your subordinates in the library is important?'

QUESTION TWO

McGregor's theory X and Y theory was discussed in this course, critically as an information manager explain the theory relating it to management of human resources in libraries and information centers **(20marks)**

QUESTION THREE

Discuss any **ten** (10) roles of libraries in the 21st century? **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

Information is today's currency. Information and Communication Technology (ICT) has infiltrated almost all services rendered in the 21st century libraries and information centers. Discuss any **five** (5) benefits of the above statement. **(20marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

Explain the various categories of leadership styles? **(20 marks)**