

## **FACULTY OF BUSINESS**

## **FINAL EXAMINATION**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

1. This question paper consists of 2 parts:

PART A (60 marks) : Answer all FOUR (4) short answer structured questions. Answers are to be

written in the Answer Booklet provided.

PART B (40 marks) : Answer ONE (1) case study question. Answer is to be written in the Answer

Booklet provided.

2. Candidates are not allowed to bring any unauthorised materials except writing equipment into the Examination Hall. Electronic dictionaries are strictly prohibited.

- This question paper must be submitted along with all used and/or unused rough papers and/or graph paper (if any). Candidates are NOT allowed to take any examination materials out of the examination hall.
- 4. Only ballpoint pens are allowed to be used in answering the questions, with the exception of multiple choice questions, where 2B pencils are to be used.

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**Total Number of pages = 3 (Including the cover page)** 

# PART A (60 marks) Answer all FOUR (4) short answer structured questions supported with decided cases.

Answers are to be written in the Answer Booklet provided.

(a) Casey has been working as a supervisor in a logistic firm for the past five years. There
have been no complaints about her work. Yesterday, for no apparent reason, her
employer told her to pack up her belongings and not to return to the office anymore.
Explain the term "unfair dismissal" and the rights of Casey as an employee upon unfair
dismissal.

(5 marks)

(b) Briefly explain the employer duties to provide a safe working environment and safety equipment for the employees under the Occupational Health and Safety Act 1994.

(10 marks)

(Total: 15 marks)

2. A contract of agency can be expressed or implied from certain circumstances and conduct of the parties. State the ways in which an agency may arise and explain any <u>three</u> (3) examples of them.

(15 marks)

3. Special Rice Sdn. Bhd. purchased a consignment of fragrant rice from Thailand, which arrived marked as "Thailand Premier Fragrant Rice". Special Rice Sdn. Bhd. immediately instruct their senior production managers to mark the labels on all the rice packages to make it clear that the rice products were from Thailand. One senior production manager labeled it as "Malaysian Premier Fragrant Rice". Has Special Rice Sdn. Bhd. breached any section(s) of the Trade Descriptions Act 2011 for falsely and misleadingly describing the goods?

(15 marks)

4. (a) Brian visited his burger store called The Best Burger. After ordering his favourite charcoal burger, Brian discovered a bug in his food. What action can be taken by the authorized officers under the Food Act, 1983?

(8 marks)

(b) Mr Shawn had stayed for a week in Resort Sky Hotel. Mr Shawn left the hotel after one week stay without paying the bill. The manager of Resort Sky Hotel found a unique valuable computer in the room where Mr Shawn stayed for the holiday. Notices of Mr Shawn's unpaid bill have been sent to his residence and his working place but there was no reply from Mr Shawn. State two rights of the innkeeper under the Inn Keepers Act 1952.

(7 marks)

(Total: 15 marks)

## **End of Part A**

- 1. Allison, Casey and Miriam form a partnership's florist business in Klang Valley.
  - (a) Miriam is in charge of purchasing the daily ingredients for their business. It was agreed between the partners that any purchases beyond the sum of RM15,000.00, the consent of all the partners are required. One day Miriam decided to purchase a valuable antique painting worth RM40,000.00 under the partnership, without obtaining the consent of Allison and Casey. When both Allison and Casey discovered the purchase by Miriam, they were furious. Advise both Allison and Casey whether the partnership is bound by the said purchase?

(25 marks)

- (b) Allison and Casey decide to form a new partnership. Advise them on the legal principles concerning the following:-
  - (i) The minimum and maximum number of partners in the firm; (3 marks)
     (ii) Whether a written partnership agreement is necessary; (3 marks)
     (iii) Registration of the firm, if necessary; (3 marks)
     (iv) Whether the partnership is a legal entity; (3 marks)
     (v) Each partner's liability for debts. (3 marks)

(15 marks)

(Total: 40 marks)

**End of Exam Paper**