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FACULTY OF COMMERCE

**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE HONOURS DEGREE IN
LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT**

PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

HLSM 241

PART 2 SEMESTER 2

TOTAL MARKS [100]

DATE: JUNE 2023

Time: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This paper has *six (6)* questions
2. Answer question *one (1)* and *any other three (3)*
3. Each question carries *25 marks*
4. Start each question on a new page

1. Public Procurement is the blood of any organisation. With the aid of relevant examples from Zimbabwe, comment on this view. [25]
2. 'Public procurement for the government and the society is essential to the effective growth of the economy of Zimbabwe.' Discuss. [25]
3. Evaluate the opinion that public procurement is better than private procurement in promoting the economic development of Zimbabwe. [25]
4. Discuss the public procurement framework of Zimbabwe citing current relevant examples. [25]
5. 'Bidding is the cornerstone of public procurement.' Citing relevant examples from an organisation of your choice, explain how the bidding process is done in public procurement. [25]
6. With relevant examples, outline the effects of information technology on public procurement in Zimbabwe. [25]

End of Paper