

FACULTY OF COMMERCE

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE HONOURS DEGREE IN ACCOUNTING

BUSINESS LAW

HACC 117

PART 1 SEMESTER 2

TOTAL MARKS [100]

DATE: OCTOBER 2024

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. Elaborate on the essential elements of a contract of lease and how that contract can be terminated. (25)
- 2. Explain the difference between a condition and a warranty in a contract for the sale of goods.

(25)

- 3. The concept of "fitness for purpose" is a crucial protection for buyers. Critically evaluate the requirements for establishing a claim under section and the limitations on this implied term. (25)
- 4. Discuss the concept of fiduciary duty and its role in the agency relationship. (25)
- 5. Using relevant case law, explain the legal consequences for a principal when an agent acts outside their actual or ostensible authority.

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- 6. Discuss the challenges of determining agency in online transactions and the potential liability of online platforms for the actions of third-party sellers. (25)

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