



**REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY**

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**FACULTY OF COMMERCE**

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

**PRINCIPLES OF LOGISTICS & TRANSPORT**

**HLSM 114**

**PART 1 SEMESTER 1**

**TOTAL MARKS [100]**

**DATE: OCTOBER 2024**

**Time: 3 Hours**

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**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. Discuss the growing importance of sustainable practices in logistics in developing countries.

[25 marks]

2. Analyse the importance of collaboration between different departments within a company of your choice, such as sales, production, logistics in achieving efficient logistics operations.

[25 marks]

3. Discuss the benefits and challenges of building strong partnerships with logistics service providers (LSPs) in any organization of your choice.  
[25 marks]

4. Analyse the role of information technology in facilitating information sharing and collaboration within the supply chain of an organization of your choice.  
[25 marks]

5. Examine major causes of congestion in major towns and cities in Zimbabwe and suggest possible remedies.  
[25 marks]

6. Explain any five activities of logistics in an organization of your choice.  
[25 marks]

**END OF PAPER**