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DES 105: PATENTING FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

DATE: 29TH MARCH 2022

DURATION: 2 HOURS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 70

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Write your registration number on the answer booklet.
- 2. **DO NOT** write on this question paper.
- 3. This paper contains SIX (6) questions.
- 4. Question **ONE** is compulsory.
- 5. Answer any other FOUR questions.
- 6. Question ONE carries 30 MARKS and the rest carry 10 MARKS each.
- 7. Write all your answers in the Examination answer booklet provided.

QUESTION ONE

Read the Case Study below carefully and answer the questions that follow:

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photographer R shot a photograph of a couple holding a line of puppies in a row and sold it for use in greeting cards and similar products. Internationally, a renowned artist K in the process of creating an exhibit on the banality of everyday items, ran across Rs' photograph and used it to create a set of statues based on the image.

K sold several of these structures, making a significant profit. Upon discovering the copy, R sued K for copyright. K responded by claiming fair use by parody.

The court found the similarities between the 2 images too close, and that a "typical person" would be able to recognize the copy. K's defense was rejected under the argument that he could have used a more generic source to make the same statement — without copying R' work. K was forced to pay a monetary settlement to Rodgers.

Required:

a) Define the term Copyright

(2 MARKS)

b) Discuss the originality in copyright?

(7 MARKS)

- c) In this case of photographers R and K, explain how to determine the ownership of copyright (6 MARKS)
- d) Was photography just a documentation of the world, or is it a creative and artistic product? Explain (5 MARKS)
- e) Explain the limitations and exceptions to copyright

(10 MARKS)

QUESTION TWO

Discuss with examples the different forms of Intellectual Property rights

(10MARKS)

QUESTION THREE

a) Define invention (2 MARKS)

b) Describe the inventiveness requirement for patents (8 MARKS)

QUESTION FOUR

Describe step by step the application procedure for a patent in Kenya

(10 MARKS)

QUESTION FIVE

a) Define Intellectual Property (2 MARKS)

b) Differentiate between copyright and trademark protection?

(8 MARKS)

QUESTION SIX

a) Define patent infringement (2 MARKS)

b) Explain four types of patent infringement (8 MARKS)

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