

MATRICULATION AND SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS BOARD

INTERMEDIATE MATRICULATION LEVEL 2018 FIRST SESSION

SUBJECT: Marketing
DATE: 25th April 2018
TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 7:05 p.m.

Answer **ALL** the questions in Section A and **TWO** questions from Section B.

SECTION A

Answer ALL the questions in this section. This section carries 40 marks.

Distinguish briefly between a product and a service. (4)Differentiate between retailers and wholesalers. (4)3. State TWO advantages and TWO disadvantages of performing research through digital questionnaires. (4) 4. Differentiate between the production and the product concepts. (4)5. What is cost based pricing? (4) Mention **TWO** reasons why customer loyalty and retention are important. 6. (4) 7. List **FOUR** factors affecting the consumer buying behaviour. (4)Differentiate between demographic segmentation and psychographic segmentation and include **TWO** examples for each of the segmentation. (6) 9. Define the marketing mix and list the components of the marketing mix for services. (6)

Please turn the page.

(Total: 40 marks)

SECTION B

Answer any TWO of the following questions. Each question carries equal marks. This section carries 60 marks.

10. (a) Explain the difference between the micro and macro environment. (10)(b) List and explain **FIVE** of the factors affecting the macro environment. (10)(c) How will the FIVE chosen environments, in question (b) affect an electric car manufacturer? (Total: 30 marks) 11. (a) List the **FIVE** stages of the consumer buyer decision process. (10)(b) Explain and discuss the consumer buyer decision process for a product of your choice. (20)(Total: 30 marks) 12. (a) What is direct marketing? (4)(b) List **THREE** benefits of direct marketing to buyers. (3) (c) List **THREE** benefits of direct marketing to sellers. (3) (d) Discuss **FIVE** direct marketing techniques that an insurance company may utilise. (20) (Total: 30 marks)