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TSM 348 Hospitality and Tourism Management

Time Allowed: 2hrs

Instruction: Attempt any 3 questions of your choice. Each question carries 23.3 marks. Present your answer legibly and logically using relevant examples.

- 1a. Mention and explain the various segments of the cruise market.
- b. Discuss the importance of cruise ships as a means of transportation to the hotel and tourism industry.
- c. With the aid of a diagram, explain the recruitment and selection process.
- 2a. Explain the term ticketing.
- b. State the THREE types of reservation system and also explain each.
- c. Who is a travel agent and mention the responsibilities of a travel agent
- 3a. What is market structure.
- b. Using a table describe the characteristics of a market structure.
- c. Enumerate SIX differences between a leader and a manager.
- 4a. Enumerate the EIGHT steps that are essential in decision making.
- b. Give a detailed explanation of a map.
- c. Mention THREE Regulatory organizations and their roles.

5a Briefly describe what destination Management companies and their functions.

- b. State and describe various classification of hotels.
- c. Mention SIX benefit of franchising to a franchisee.