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# FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION OCTOBER/NOVEMBER EXAMINATION 2016

**Course Code: BUS831** 

Course Title: Organizational Behaviour and Theory

Credit Unit: 2.

Time Allowed: 2 Hours.

Instructions: 1. Attempt Question 1 and any other two (2) Questions.

2. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks while the other 2 Questions

carry 20 marks each.

3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner.

### **Question 1 (COMPULSORY)**

1. (a) Give the definition of "Organization" as provided by Wright Mills.

(b) An organization is composed of people whose collective efforts are geared towards the attainment of a collective goal. Enumerate the five key characteristics of an organization

#### **Question 2**

- 2. (a) Many types of organizations exist in real life. However all these organizations can be broadly grouped into two types. List these two types of organization.
  - (b) What are the 7 common characteristics of a formal organization?

#### Question No. 3

- 3. (a) Give the definition of Job Satisfaction as given by Lawler, et al. in 1972.
  - (b) List the five factors that can enhance job satisfaction
  - (c) "A satisfied worker is a productive worker". Discuss this statement exhaustively making a case for the position you have taken.

#### **Question 4**

- **4. (a)** Define Job Enrichment in your own words.
  - (b) List the five implications of job enrichment

## Question 5

- 5. (a) What does Job Design actually do?
  - (b) List the five ways by which issues affecting job design can be tackled.