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PROGRAMME: BCOMM HONOURS DEGREE IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

SCM 407 LOGISTICS IN PURCHASING AND SUPPLY (1)

DURATION: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1) Answer four questions.
- 2) Each question carries 25 marks.
- 3) Cell-phones are not allowed into the examination room.

QUESTION 1

Explain the interrelationship between procurement, transport and logistics for attainment of efficiency and effectiveness.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 2

Identify and elaborate on inbound and outbound logistics activities in the logistics activities.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 3

Select any one warehouse layout and explain its benefits and drawbacks.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 4

Green logistics is the **only** way for an organization to attain efficiency and effectiveness in today 'supply chain. Discuss.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 5

Explain any four of Demmings theory concepts in Total Quality Management and how they aid in value addition through quality.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 6

"Vendor Managed Inventory aids in a smooth flow of inventory management." Discuss.

(25 marks)

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