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BACHELOR OF COMMERCE IN FINANCIAL INTELLIGENCE
FI 406 STRATEGIC INTELLIGENCE

DURATION : **3 HOURS**
TOTAL : **100 MARKS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Answer any **four** questions
2. Each question carries 25 marks
3. Begin each answer on a new leaf
4. No cell phones are allowed in the examination room.

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Question one

Using examples explain the following terms and phrases;

Intelligence cycle. (5)

Information (5)

Strategic intelligence (5)

Intelligence (5)

Tactical intelligence (5)

Total [25 marks]

Question Two

'Strategic intelligence is a legitimate component of the decision-making process.' Discuss. [25 marks]

Question Three

Examine the roles, responsibilities and functions of an analyst in the context of a highly competitive business environment. [25 marks]

Question Four

Evaluate the effectiveness of Porter's generic strategies in enhancing organisational competitive advantage. [25 marks]

Question Five

'The intelligence cycle is the basis for the development of all forms of intelligence'. Discuss. [25 marks]

Question Six

Using business examples, demonstrate how strategic intelligence can be considered 'your partner in getting there before others'. [25 marks]

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