

**ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN APPAREL STUDIES AND MERCHANDISING**

**Examination Paper**

2<sup>nd</sup> Term 2016

Module Name: Apparel Manufacturing

Module Code: 161

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Time Allowed: 3 hours

Reading Time: 15 minutes

Examination Time: 7:15pm – 10:15pm

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**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:**

- This paper has **EDIGHT (8)** questions.
- Answer any **FIVE (5)** questions
- All questions carry equal marks.

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**The following tools with an asterisk (\*) are NOT ALLOWED in the examination:**

- Paperback Dictionary \*
- Electronic Dictionary \*
- Open Book Examination Material \*
- Programmable Calculator \*

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### Question 1

- (a) Describe the application and limitation of the following presser foot. (25 %)
- i) Hemming foot (25 %)
  - ii) Gathering foot
- (b) State five functions of the throat plate in a lockstitch sewing machine. (50 %)

### Question 2

- (a) What are attachments for industrial sewing machines? (25 %)
- (b) Discuss THREE types of sewing attachment and their characteristics. (75 %)

### Question 3

Discuss FIVE objectives of perfect garment pressing. (100 %)

### Question 4

What are the essential properties of a sewing thread? (100 %)

### Question 5

List and discuss any FIVE(5) factors that you would consider when you select interlining for the apparel. (100 %)

### Question 6

State the definitions of the following terms:

- i) Interlacing (20 %)
- ii) Interlooping (20 %)
- iii) Sewing thread (20 %)
- iv) Interlining (20 %)
- v) Ply shifting (20 %)

### Question 7

Suggest a suitable fabric cutting equipment is bra manufacturing. Explain your answers in detail. (100 %)

### Question 8

Sewing machine is essential for apparel production. List and describe the features of THREE (3) different feeding mechanisms, and their applications. (100 %)

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