

CHRISTIAN SERVICE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE KUMASI

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

End of Second Semester Examinations, 2019/2020 Academic Year Level 500

MACM 514: Taxation and Fiscal Policy

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Time Allowed: 72 hours

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- i. Answer two questions in all.
- ii. Each question carries 30 marks.
- iii. Not less than 6 pages
- iv. Plagiarised work would not be accepted. Similarity levels 20%

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Question 1:

The objectives of virtually all tax systems can be classified into two broad categories namely Revenue and Non-Revenue goals.

Some of the non-revenue goals incorporated in our current tax regime include Stabilization Function, Economic Growth Function, Redistribution of Income Function, and Allocation Function.

Critically assess the contribution of the above policies in safeguarding the micro and macro-economic objectives of a nation.

Question 2:

State and discuss **six factors** influencing the growth of public debt in Ghana.

Question 3:

For the purpose of Adjusting the profits of an individual under Sections 8 – 17 of Act 896 provides for Deductions Allowed in general terms as —all outgoings and expenses wholly, exclusively and necessarily incurred during the period by that person in the production of the income and any other deduction as may be prescribed by Regulations made under Income Tax Regulations 2016 (LI 2244).

Using provisions in the tax law discuss the above preamble in relation to adjusting the profits for legal persons (Limited Liability Companies, Enterprises, and Partnerships)

Question 4: State and discuss six sources of Tax Law in Ghana.