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LAW – LW5

OPTION 01 - CONTRACT AND CONSUMER LAW

P.M. MONDAY, 18 June 2007

(1½ Hours)

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS:

In addition to this examination paper, you will need a 12 page answer book.

Instructions to candidates

- Candidates are required to answer **two** out of **six** questions.

Information for candidates

- Each question carries 25 marks.
- Candidates are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation. All questions should be answered in continuous prose. The quality of written communication will be assessed in all answers.
- Reading time has been allowed for in the question time allowance.

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Answer two out of the six questions.

1. Critically evaluate the regulations governing the current advertising of consumer credit. [25]

2. To what extent, if at all, has the postal rule in contract law any relevance today? [25]

3. Evaluate the extent to which consumer protection is provided by statutes which impose criminal penalties for breach of duties imposed by them. [25]

4. Critically discuss the ability of a consumer buyer to reject unsatisfactory quality goods under the Sale of Goods Act 1979 (as amended). [25]

5. Why should the Law normally allow only parties to a contract to have rights under it? [25]

6. Critically evaluate the recent reforms made to consumer credit law. [25]