

BOWEN UNIVERSITY, IWO (OF THE NIGERIAN BAPTIST CONVENTION) COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (COMSS) BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION PROGRAMME B.Sc. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEGREE 2023/2024 FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: BUS 307 COURSE TITLE: INNOVATION MANAGEMENT CREDIT: 2 TIME: 2 HOURS INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER 2 QUESTIONS DATE: Tuesday 30th JANUARY 2024

1a. Ideas they say rules the world but one of its instrumentalities is innovation. Given views in the literature what is innovation? (20 marks)

b. Mention and briefly explain any 5 purposes of innovation in a particular country like Nigeria. (10 marks)

2. Innovation management entails how it is generated, the challenges tackled, and the outcomes preserved, Discuss (20 marks)

3. Mention and briefly explain any 5 ways to source finances for innovation ideation generation to turn things around for the better in a given country. (20 marks)

4a. What is Intellectual Property Right as a way to protect innovations? (5 marks)

b. Briefly explain patency, copyright and trademarks as means of protecting innovative ideas. (15 marks)

5 Identify any sector or aspect of life in Nigeria and challenges there in or the changes being anticipated and come up with the innovative idea to make such a reality. (20 marks)