# UNIVERSITY OF BOLTON SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING BSC (HONS) CONSTRUCTION PROJECT MANAGEMENT SEMESTER 1 EXAMINATION 2023/2024 PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND LAW MODULE NO: CAS6006

Date: Monday 8 January 2024

Time: 14:00-16:00

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:** 

This exam paper contains <u>SIX</u> questions

You should answer <u>ANY FOUR</u> questions.

Each question is worth 25 marks.

This examination paper carries a total of 100 marks.

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1. Discuss UK adversarial methods for dealing with construction, employment, and contractual matters, by displaying knowledge of what adversarial means.

(25 marks)

 The Save Construction Initiative (SCI) show more construction companies face failure than in any other sector. Figures are increasing year on year; in 2021 there were 2,732 with an increase in 2022 to 4,237 (Insolvency Service). Discuss reasons for this, with solutions to reduce and prevent.

#### (25 marks)

3. Evaluate alternative dispute resolution (ADR) methods available to the construction industry

## (25 marks)

4. Legislation aims to protect people. Appraise relevant key acts, by outlining the significance they have on relationships that connect projects and good business practice for the benefit of the construction industry.

#### (25 marks)

5. Critically evaluate the current role of mediation when dealing with conflict and disputes in the construction industry.

## (25 marks)

6. A major project procured through traditional methods is approximately twothirds complete and substantially behind schedule. The forecast final account for the client exceeds its budget by 10% and the contractor is losing money. The management team at site are struggling to move the project forward; the standard of work is below what is required, and morale of those delivering the project is low. Provide a detailed action plan to address the above scenario, include a summary of what can be achieved in this situation.

#### (25 marks)

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