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(10 marks)

1. (a) Tourism market may be segmented in many ways. Highlight five advantages of such segmentations to tourism organisations. (10 marks) (b) Outline the role of a marketing officer in the Ministry of Tourism. (10 marks) 2. (a) Explain five different ways through which tourism firms may improve their marketing strategies. (10 marks) (b) Kitundo four firms has been experiencing ups and downs in its operations. Explain five external forces that may have contributed to this trend. (10 marks) 3. (a) Highlight five factors that may influence tourists buying behaviour. (10 marks) (b) Tourism establishments rely on market research information to determine their viability. Explain five uses of this information on a newly established firm. (10 marks) 4. Social media has played a significant role in tourism events. Explain how this concept (a) has created a positive impact in promoting tourism events. (10 marks) (b) Explain five channels of tourism product distribution. (10 marks) 5. Tour operators target different types of tourists from different destinations. Highlight (a) five benefits of packaging a tour to special interest tourists. (10 marks) (b) Highlight five benefits of using electronic booking system in the tourism industry. (10 marks) 6. Explain five political factors that may affect marketing in travel and tourism in Kenya. (a) (10 marks) (b) Outline five components of a tourism market research report. (10 marks) .7. Highlight five global social factors that will affect a tourism destination marketing (a) (10 marks) strategy.

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Highlight five sources of secondary information that may be useful during marketing

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