



**The Chartered
Institute of Logistics
and Transport**

TRANSPORT OPERATIONS DIP03

Instructions to Candidates

- **Duration of examination: 3 hours**
- **Answer any four questions**
- **Questions may be answered in any order**
- **Allocation of marks is indicated along each question**
- **Credit will be given for citing relevant examples**
- **Write legibly**

Question 1

Explain the role of transport policy and discuss what constitute transport policy?

Question 2

You have successfully completed your CILT qualification. One of your main objectives of undertaking the CILT programme was to become a 'job creator and not a 'job seeker'. You are determined to fulfil your objective by starting a haulage company for the transportation of general goods. Identify and assess the sources of short-term funding organisations that you would approach and why?

(25 marks)

Question 3

Outline and compare the following investment appraisal methods used by logistics organisations:

Payback (10)

Net present value. (15)

Question 4

Discuss in detail the interrelationships amongst the following concepts in freight operations

- (a) Network design
- (b) Time scheduling
- (c) Vehicle scheduling

(d) Crew scheduling

Question 5

Evaluate the role of national regulatory bodies and trade associations on the transport industry in Zimbabwe. **[25 marks]**