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2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR BACHELOR OF
SCIENCE IN CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES

CCS 102 – CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

DURATION: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer Question One and any other TWO Questions.
2. Mobile phones are not allowed in the examination room.
3. You are not allowed to write on this examination question paper.

SECTION A – ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

QUESTION ONE COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain two main goals of the criminal justice in Kenya. (6 marks)
- b) Explain two criminal justice system models. (6 marks)
- c) Explain two functions of the Kenya Police Service as per the National Police Service Act of 2011. (6 marks)
- d) Explain the role of any two courtroom participants. (6 marks)
- e) Describe the discretion of the police in the criminal justice processes. (6 marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) “Decision in the criminal justice system follow a specific sequence” Discuss. (15 marks)
- b) Discuss two policing styles in Kenya. (5 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss four core functions of the Kenya Prison Services. (10 marks)
- b) Describe the structure of the National Police Services of Kenya. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Describe the structure and jurisdiction of the Kenyan Court System. (14 marks)
- b) Evaluate two goals of sentencing in Kenya (6 marks)