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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES**

CRSS 110: CRIMINAL LAW

STREAMS: CRSS ODEL

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 22/07/2021

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question one and any other two questions.**

QUESTION ONE

(a) Explain the meaning of the following terms as used in criminal law

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| (i) Sources of Criminal Law. | (5 marks) |
| (ii) Rights of arrested persons | (5 marks) |
| (iii) Examine the different types of parties to a crime | (5 marks) |
| (iv) Searches | (5 marks) |
| (v) Malice aforethought | (5 marks) |
| (vi) Theories of punishment | (5 marks) |

QUESTION TWO (20 Marks)

Examine factors that are considered by courts while sentencing someone found guilty of a crime.
(20 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 Marks)

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| (a) Explain five defenses in criminal cases. | (10 marks) |
| (b) Discuss the parties to a criminal case. | (10 marks) |

QUESTION FOUR (20 Marks)

- (a) Discuss five circumstances when police can arrest without a warrant. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain ingredients of five offences against a person. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 Marks)

Write short notes on the following

- (a) Civil law (5 marks)
 - (b) Criminal law (5 marks)
 - (c) Inchoate offences (5 marks)
 - (d) Warrant of arrest (5 marks)
 - (e) Director of public prosecution (5 marks)
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