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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN CRIMINOLOGY AND
SECURITY STUDIES**

CRSS 0200: HUMAN RIGHTS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

STREAMS: DIPLOMA CRSS Y2S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 05/11/2021

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question **ONE** and any other **TWO**
- **NO** reference materials are allowed in the examination room
- All answers **SHOULD** be in essay form

QUESTION ONE:

- a) Briefly discuss five classifications of human rights (10 marks)
- b) By use of examples, examine rights accorded to crime victims in the Kenyan criminal justice system (10 marks)
- c) Discuss the basic characteristics of human rights (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO:

- a) Discuss the basic functions of the Kenya National Human Rights and Equality Commission (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE:

- a) Using examples, examine the state obligation and responsibility to protect human rights in relation to international standards (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the major functions of constitutional courts in Kenya in safeguarding human rights (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR:

Using examples, examine the fundamental and basic rights that every human is entitled to (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Brian through his defense lawyer argued that the evidence adduced before the court against him was unconstitutionally obtained. The judge invoked the Exclusionary rule thus rendering the evidence inadmissible. Examine the relevance of the decision in relation to human rights (10 marks)
 - b) Using examples, explain what constitutes degrading human treatment or torture in relation to human rights in criminal justice system (10 marks)
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