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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE
IN CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES

CRSS 00104: CRIME PREVENTION

STREAMS: CERT. CRSS (Y1S1)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 07/12/2018

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions from section TWO

SECTION ONE

1. (a) Make notes on the following
 - (i) Crime prevention [4 marks]
 - (ii) Crime reduction [4 marks]
- (b) Briefly explain the three types of crime prevention [6 marks]
- (c) Police can perform a number of important functions relevant to crime prevention. Explain the various ways in which police can prevent crime [16 marks]

SECTION TWO

2. (a) Briefly explain the five strategies of situational crime prevention. [10 marks]
- (b) In your own understanding, explain the various benefits associated with crime prevention. [10 marks]
3. Explain how the following contribute to crime prevention in relation to defensible space
 - (i) Territoriality [5 marks]
 - (ii) Surveillance [5 marks]
 - (iii) Lighting [5 marks]
 - (iv) Physical security [5 marks]

4. Discuss the five ways of addressing social and economic conditions that foster criminal behaviour that present the greatest threat to safety security and cohesiveness of the communities [20 marks]
5. (a) According to classical school deterrence is a type of prevention meaning that the threat of punishment outweighs the urge to commit crime. For deterrence to be effective the punishment must satisfy three conditions. Explain the statement [6 marks]
- (b) Make notes on the following terms in relation to crime prevention [8 marks]
- (i) Diffusion
 - (ii) Discouragement
 - (iii) Displacement
 - (iv) Difference
- (c) Crime prevention through social development can occur at three levels. Explain the statement [6 marks]
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