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

CRSS 00114: FAMILY LAW AND POLICIES

STREAMS: CERT (CRSS)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 09/08/2019

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question One and any other Two Questions

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Write brief explanatory notes on the following: -
- (i) Family [5 marks]
 - (ii) Solemnization of marriages [5 marks]
 - (iii) Parental responsibility [5 marks]
 - (iv) Guardianship [5 marks]
- (b) Discuss the law governing marriages under the marriages Act in Kenya. [10 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Critically examine the different ways in which matrimonial property may be distributed in Kenya. [12 marks]
- (b) With use of illustrations examine the difference between valid and void marriages. [8 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) What are the rights and obligations of parties in statutory marriages? [10 marks]
- (b) Examine five offences in Kenya that may be committed in a family set up. [10 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

Distinguish between divorce and nullification of marriage noting to discuss the different grounds that must be proved before a court can grant either order. [20 marks]

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) What are the grounds for divorce for persons who have contracted marriages in Kenya. [12 marks]
- (b) Discuss the law governing wills in Kenya. [8 marks]
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