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

CRSS 00100: INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINOLOGY

STREAMS: Y1S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 18/04/2018

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question 1 and any other 2**

- Q1. (a) Explain how crime is a societal problem. (10 marks)
- (b) Describe what the society is doing to deal with crime. (10 marks)
- (c) Describe possible negative consequences of drug abuse on the life of a young person. (10 marks)
- Q2. Explain why official crime statistics are often unreliable. (20 marks)
- Q3. Giving examples, explain what you understand by “victimless” crime. (20 marks)
- Q4. Discuss how family problems can promote criminal behavior. (20 marks)
- Q5. Explain what you understand by the following terms;
- (a) Misdemeanor
- (b) Felony
- (c) Drug abuse
- (d) Crime (20 marks)
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