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SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES

CRSS 0221: MEDIA, CRIME AND CRIMINALITY

STREAMS: DIP (CRSS) Y2S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 10/8/2018 INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question One and any other two.

- Question one carries 30 marks while all others are 20 marks each
- 1. (a) Describe the role of media in crime and criminal justice in society. [15 marks]
 - (b) Explain what is meant by is meant by a 'media-saturated society' and show how it may influence the young people in behavior. [15]

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- 2. Explain what Cohen and Young (1973) meant by 'news is not discovered but manufactured'. [20 marks]
- 3. Describe ways that the media can possibly cause crime and deviance. [20marks]
- 4. By use of examples, describe ways that the Internet has created opportunities for crime. [20

marks]

5. Identify and describe benefits to society that occur when the media provides responsible coverage of crime and victims. [20 marks]