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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES

CRSS 427: ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT OF CORRECTIONS

STREAMS:

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 29/8/2023

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer question one and any other two

QUESTION ONE

- a. Examine the challenges and obstacles to the establishment or functioning of prisoner request and complaint mechanisms (15 marks)
- b. You have been appointed as the new officer in Charge of Kamiti Maximum Security Prison. You discover that some prison officers have joined Trade Union. You decide to inform them about various legal prohibitions for Prisons officers as stated in the Prison Act (CAP 90) of the laws of Kenya. Discuss your views (15 marks).

QUESTION TWO

- a. Elaborate the security measures that can be implemented to prevent the escape of Prisoners who have been transferred to hospital (6 marks).
- b. Describe THREE forms of punishment that an officer-in charge of a Prison, who is a senior prison officer, may administer to a prisoner who has committed an aggravated prison offence

(14 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Discuss FIVE requirements that Prison officials must adhere as part of the process of Admission, Control and Discharge of Prisoners (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

b. Using a schematic illustration that depicts the structure of the Kenya Prisons Service, its directorates and chain of command, elaborate the mandate of the Kenya Prisons service

(20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

As a newly appointed Commissioner General of Prisons, discuss some of the strategies that you can implement to ensure the Kenya Prisons Service meets its mission of containing offenders in humane and safe conditions in order to facilitate responsive administration of justice, rehabilitation, social reintegration and community protection (20 marks).

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