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

**CRSS 810: CRIMINAL CASE**

**STREAMS: M.A CRSS**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: MONDAY 14/04/2025**

**2.30 P.M. – 5.30 P.M.**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

- **Answer question ONE and any other TWO.**
- **All answers should be in essay form.**

**QUESTION ONE**

The constitution of Kenya is very clear on the administration of justice and provides the basis for a fair trial to the accused persons. While citing the relevant laws, discuss the rights of an accused person and how the courts apply them to administer justice fairly. (20 marks)

**QUESTION TWO**

Examine the police powers that are relevant to the investigative role of the police in criminal justice and how they aid in the administration of justice. (20 marks)

**QUESTION THREE**

Using relevant case examples from Kenya Law Reforms (eKLR), discuss various facts that the courts seek to establish their existence while trying to solve a criminal case.

**QUESTION FOUR**

Discuss the due process and crime control models as a framework for analyzing rules of evidence and criminal procedure. (20 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

While citing the relevant section of Law of Evidence Cap 80 laws of Kenya, discuss the hearsay rule, reasons making hearsay evidence inadmissible, and exceptions to the hearsay rule. (20 marks)

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