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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES**

CRSS 444: CRIME SCENE MANAGEMENT

STREAMS: CRSS (ODEL)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 07/08/2024

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Answer question one and any other two**
- **Question ONE carries 30 marks while all others are 20 marks each.**

QUESTION ONE

You are a lead investigator in the Shakahola murder massacre.

- Explain principles governing the investigation of such a vast crime scene. (10 marks)
- Discuss the components of that scene that will help you have a robust crime scene management. (10 marks)
- Explain the challenges that may negatively affect the outcome of the investigation. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- Discuss the steps you would take to preserve a crime scene within Chuka University if you were the lead investigator. (10 marks)
- Outline the kinds of personnel and their respective roles you will need in such an investigation (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

You are one of the personnel engaged in assessing a crime scene.

- a) Elaborate on the importance of interviewing the first responder at the crime scene. (10 marks)
- b) Explain the objectives that drive your team in analyzing a crime scene (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Explain categories of crime scene photography. (4 marks)
- b) Examine comprehension problems that are likely to occur due to improper photography. (10 marks)
- c) Explain three types of photographs that can be captured at the crime scene. (6 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) During crime scene preservation, varied tasks are undertaken to maintain the scene's integrity. Explain this statement. (10 marks)
 - b) Examine the importance of evidence collected at the crime scene. (10 marks)
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