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Knowledge for Development

FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY, CRIMINOLOGY AND SOCIAL WORK

2013/2014 ACADEMIC YEAR

1ST YEAR SEMESTER EXAMINATION

DIPLOMA IN CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

COURSE CODE: SCR 100

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINOLOGY

DATE: 14TH AUGUST, 2014

TIME: 9:00A.M.-12NOON

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

QUESTION ONE(1) IS MANDATORY

ANSWER ANY OTHER **THREE** (3) QUESTIONS

1. “Tall, thin men tend to commit forgery and fraud; undersized men are thieves and burglars; Short, heavy person commit assault, rape, and other sex crimes; whereas mediocre physique flounder around among other crimes” Evaluate this statement in light of the various theories regarding crime and crime perpetrators. (25 Marks)

2. Crime is simply a social construct that reflects the kind of society within which it occurs. Analyze this statement indicating whether or not you agree with it. (15 Marks)

3. There is an inverse correlation between the level of economic growth within a country and the level of crime within its borders. Discuss (15 Marks)

4. Discuss the steps that a society can take in order to prevent crime from occurring or recurring (15 Marks)

5. Write short notes on any **THREE** (3) of the following: (15 Marks)
 - (i) White collar crimes
 - (ii) Organized crime
 - (iii) Victimology
 - (iv) Cesare Lombroso
 - (v) Somatotyping theory