



(Knowledge for Development)

## **KIBABII UNIVERSITY**

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR
MAIN

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

FOR THE BACHELORS DEGREE

IN

CRIMINOLOGY

COURSE CODE: SCR 313

**COURSE TITLE: CRIMINAL LAW** 

DATE: 15TH DECEMBER 2022

TIME: 2PM-4PM

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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 a) Briefly discuss the reasons laid forth in the landmark ruling by Justice Mativo in the High Court ruling on punishments rendered to sexual offenders. The ruling which was pegged on the appeal made by three convicted offenders who had been sentenced to life imprisonment for different sexual offences caused ripples in the courts of justice.

10 Marks

- b) As a Criminologist who has been approached by the Attorney General and the Director of Public Prosecutions to help draft an appeal what would be your grounds for critiquing this ruling.
- c) Explain the following sexual offences as captured in our laws.

I. Rape4 MarksII. Defilement3 MarksIII. Unnatural acts3 Marks

- International laws are an important source of criminal laws in Kenya. This was evident
  throughout the post-election violence cases of 2007 whose suspects in Kenya were tried
  at the International Criminal Court (ICC). Support this statement with relevant examples.
  20 Marks
- 3. You are the Member of Parliament for Kibabii Constituency and a graduate of Criminology. You are intending to push for a law to be enacted to have a union for members of the police service. Prepare a bill and take us through the stages that you will go through for it to become a law.

  20 Marks
- 4. The rights of an arrested person are clearly captured in our constitution. Briefly discuss these rights and clearly show why they are important.

  20 Marks
- 5. Make brief notes on the following;

20 Marks

- a) Penal Code Cap 63.
- b) Anti-Corruption & Economic Crimes Act.
- c) Evidence Act
- d) Probation of Offenders Act.