

INSTITUTE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION

LAW DEPARTMENT

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER JULY 2005

TITLE OF PAPER : PRINCIPLES OF CRIMINOLOGY

COURSE CODE : IDE-DL024

TIME ALLOWED : THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS.

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QUESTION ONE

Discuss the major requirements laid down in the United Nations Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners.

[25 marks]

QUESTION TWO

Discuss Sutherland's definition of criminology.

[25 marks]

QUESTION THREE

The use of discretion plays a vital role in the judicial process. Discuss and explain the key areas where discretionary decision-making occurs within the judicial process in Swaziland.

[25 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

Discuss:

- a) Primary prevention [15 marks]
- b) Secondary prevention [5 marks]
- c) Tertiary prevention [5 marks]

[25 marks]

QUESTION FIVE

What types of punishment are available in Swaziland?

[25 marks]

QUESTION SIX

Discuss the following:

- a) Drug related crimes [10 marks]
- b) Alcohol related crimes [5 marks]
- c) Sexual related crimes [10 marks]

[Total: 25 marks]

QUESTION SEVEN

Punishment must fit the crime, the criminal and be blended with a measure of mercy.

Discuss the reference to case of law decided in the Courts of Swaziland.

[25 marks]