

**UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND
DEPARTMENT OF LAW**

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION, JULY 2006

TITLE OF PAPER : PRINCIPLES OF CRIMINOLOGY
COURSE CODE : DL024
TIME ALLOWED : THREE (3) HOURS
TOTAL MARKS : 100
INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

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BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR.**

Question 1

- (a) Discuss the theories on the origin of the Criminal Law. (15 marks)
- (b) The Mbabane Magistrate's Court has convicted X of robbery. You are a "friend" of the court and you have been asked to address the court on all the factors it should consider before imposing sentence on X. (10 marks)
- (Total Marks: 25)

Question 2

Discuss the approaches to crime prevention. (25 marks)

Question 3

- (a) Discuss 'organized crime' as a type of crime. (10 marks)
- (b) According to Robert Merton how do people adapt to society's goals and means? (15 marks)
- (Total marks: 25)

Question 4

Discuss the forms of punishment which a court in Swaziland may impose on a person after conviction. (25 marks)

Question 5

- (a) In terms of the Radical Theory, what is the cause of crime? (6 marks)
- (b) What are securities related crimes? (8 marks)
- (c) What is punishment? (11 marks)
- (Total marks: 25)