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TITLE OF PAPER : **DEVIANCE AND CRIME**

COURSE CODE : **SOC 202**

TIME ALLOWED : **THREE (3) HOURS**

INSTRUCTIONS :

- 1. ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS.**
- 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.**

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QUESTION 1

Discuss three (3) perspectives against which the occurrence of rape can be understood.

QUESTION 2

To what extent is differential association theory applicable to Swazi society?

QUESTION 3

What is white-collar crime? To what extent do you agree with the statement that it is a crime exclusively for the rich and powerful?

QUESTION 4

Explain the adequacies and inadequacies of conflict theory of deviance and crime in society.

QUESTION 5

Explain how socio-economic inequalities are institutionalised within the family?

QUESTION 6

“All forms of social change are inspired by deviance and crime.” Critically discuss this statement.

QUESTION 7

To what extent do the following concepts criminal behaviour in society

- a) Age and gender
- b) Ethnicity and race
- c) Educational background and socio economic status.

QUESTION 8

‘Official criminal records are but a tip of the iceberg’. Critically examine the above statement.