

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS MARCH/APRIL 2016 EXAMINATION SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Course Code: CSS371

Course Title: COURTS AND JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION IN NIGERIA

Time Allowed: 2hrs

Instructions: Answer three questions. Question one is compulsory.

1. Briefly discuss the following terms :(Each question carries 6 marks)

- a. Inferior Courts
- b. Coroners Courts
- c. Justice of the Peace
- d. Superior Courts
- e. Juvenile Courts.
- 2. Mention and explain the two categories of British Courts in Southern Nigeria:
 - (a) Before the amalgamation of the country 12marks.
 - (b) After the amalgamation of the country under the Federal Constitution 8 marks.
- 3. Mention and explain three ancillary orders associated with sentencing in criminal proceedings. **20marks.**
- 4. List and explain the five (5) modes of Criminal trial under the criminal justice system.**20marks**
- 5. List and explain four (4) prisoner's Rights enshrined in the European commission on Human Rights (ECHR) convention.**20marks**