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Course Code: CSS 354.

Course Title: Special Categories Of Offenders

Time Allowed: 3hours

Course Unit: 3

Instruction: Answer 3 questions in all. **1 mark for good grammar**

- 1a). Who is an offender? (7marks)
- 1b). Mention the various categories of offenders and three (3) offences under each categories. (16marks)
- 2a). List and explain the problems with legal definition of crime as observed by Bohn and Haley (2002). (11 marks)
- 2b). Explain the 6 common computer crime techniques (12marks)
- 3a). What motivates terrorists' acts? (8marks)
- 3b). Discuss the link between substance abuse and violent behaviours as stated by Siegel (2006). (15marks)
- 4a). What do you know about the concept of Punishment. (9marks)
- 4b). Explain the purpose of Punishment? (14marks)
- 5a). Discuss the modalities for imposing sentences on offenders (11marks)
- 5b). Enumerate the three (3) sentencing structures. 12marks