



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2013/2014
SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN CRIME
MANAGEMENT AND PREVENTION

ASC 084: THEORIES OF CRIME

DATE: THURSDAY 3RD APRIL, 2014

TIME: 2.00 PM – 4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions. *All questions carry equal marks*

- Q.1) Citing two examples, explain theory, and describe its importance in the understanding of crime and deviance in society.
- Q.2) Describe any FOUR fundamental arguments in sociological theories of crime.
- Q.3) Describe the contributions of symbolic interactionist theory in explaining criminal behaviour.
- Q.4) Write notes on the following:
- i) Neo-Marxist criminology
 - ii) Micro and macro levels of theories of crime.
 - iii) Feminist criminology.
- Q.5) Citing relevant examples, explain how Robert Merton's theory of anomie can be used to understand crime in Kenya.