



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2017/2018 ACADEMIC YEAR FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND PENOLOGY

COURSE CODE: PCA 423

COURSE TITLE: PRISONS IN KENYA

DATE: 26TH APRIL 2018

TIME: 1100 - 1300 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions

This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Please turn over.

SECTION A (30 MARKS)

1 (a) Discuss the Origin and Evolution of the penal system in Kenya

(20 Marks)

(b) Outline the mission, vision, mandate and organizational Structure of the Kenya Prison Service **(10 Marks)**

SECTION B (40 MARKS)

2 Discuss the progressive stage system **20 Marks)**

3 (a) Discuss any five methods that were used to punish offenders during the pre-colonial era in Kenya today **(10 Marks)**

(b) Discuss any five challenges that prison officers face in Kenya **(10 Marks)**

4 (a) Expound on the Colonial government legislation on crimes and punishment **(10 Marks)**

(b) Using examples, give a brief discussion on the features of a committal order **(10 Marks)**

5 (a) Explain how prisons are classified in Kenya **(10 Marks)**

(b) Critically analyze the conditions of prisoners during World War I and II

(10 Marks)

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