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**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
(MMUST)**

MAIN CAMPUS

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

FOR THE DEGREE

OF

BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY

COURSE CODE: SCR 104

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO PENOLOGY

DATE: 31/5/2019

TIME: 4:00pm- 6:00pm

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

TIME: 2 Hours



Question one

Discuss the establishment, composition and functions of the Corrections Service Department in Kenya. (30 Marks)

Question two

Despite the fact that capital punishment is still being awarded by the Kenyan Courts, there is no recent documented execution of a convict. Do you think the punishment should be retained or abolished by the law? (20 Marks)

Question three

Kenya, released convicts have a seventy-five percent chance of committing another crime and a fifty percent chance of returning to prison two years after release from Prisons. Do you think Prisons should be abolished in Kenya? (20 Marks)

Question four

Identify and explain any four types of sentences that can be awarded by the Kenyan courts and highlight the advantages and disadvantages of each of the sentence identified. (20 Marks)

Question five

Discuss the challenges faced by Kenya's Correctional Institutions. How can these challenges be overcome? (20 Marks)