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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, MAY 2005

TITLE OF PAPER

INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

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TIME ALLOWED

THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS.

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.

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QUESTION 1

Using three (3) agents of socialization, demonstrate the extent to which new members are integrated into society.

QUESTION 2

Critically discuss the extent to which deviance is an important source of social change.

QUESTION 3

Critically examine three (3) ways in which patriarchal societies encourage rape.

QUESTION 4

Discuss the relevance of Functionalism in understanding Swazi society.

QUESTION 5

Explain the strengths and weaknesses of the Labeling theory.

QUESTION 6

Discuss the weaknesses of Differential Association theory.

QUESTION 7

Discuss the criticisms that can be leveled against Merton's theory of Anomie.

QUESTION 8

Critically examine the adequacy of biologically based theories in enhancing our understanding of the prevalence of crime in society.