



## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

University Village, Nnamdi Azikiwe Expressway, Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Jabi, Abuja

### Faculty of Arts

### 2017\_2 Examination

Course Code: ISL439

Course Title: *Al-Hudud*: Penal Law of Shari'ah

Credit Units: 2

Time Allowed: 2hrs.

Instruction to Candidates: **Answer only THREE questions in all, question number three (3) is compulsory.**

1. Discuss in details the significance of capital punishment under the penal laws of the *Shari'ah*. (23 Marks)
2. Examine the penal law of the *Shari'ah* with reference to armed robbery (23 Marks)
3. Why in your view are the conditions for convicting a culprit for illegal sexual intercourse so difficult in the penal laws? (24 Marks)
4. What are the implications of the repentance of a convicted culprit on the punishments for *qadhaf*? (23 Marks)

5a. How does the punishment for murder differ from that of manslaughter?  
(10 Marks)

- b. State and discuss the significance of *diyyah* under the penal of the *Shari'ah*.  
(13 Marks)