

## Schmallegger Chapter 1 *The Nature and History of Criminal Law*

**Multiple Choice: Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.**

1) \_\_\_\_\_ refer to that which is laid down, ordained, or established—a body of rules of action or conduct prescribed by controlling authority, and having a binding legal force.

- A) Morals
- B) Mores
- C) Laws
- D) Norms

Answer: C

Objective: Define crime and criminal law.

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2) What are the unwritten rules that underlie and are inherent in the fabric of our society?

- A) laws
- B) norms
- C) mores
- D) morals

Answer: B

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3) Which of these crimes is *mala prohibita*?

- A) aggravated battery
- B) murder
- C) rape
- D) possession of cocaine

Answer: D

Objective: Describe the various ways in which crimes can be classified, and list the four traditional types of crimes.

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4) Which of the following is called a *summary offense*?

- A) tort
- B) felony
- C) infraction
- D) misdemeanor

Answer: C

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