CJS225-251W
Issues in Criminal Justice
Final Global Project

You will be required to complete a scenario-based project which will include two parts: A one page press release addressing the content of the scenario as well as a 2-3 page research paper on a European country of your choice.

**Concept:** You will analyze the criminal justice system in the country of your choice and demonstrate how that system addresses criminal justice issues. I will provide a scenario in written or video format and you will write a press release from the perspective of the head administrator from a criminal justice organization in another country. You may choose any European country such as Russia, Germany, Italy, England, France, etc.

**Part I**

**Body of Paper:** After choosing the country you are going to research, you need to identify the following information in the 2-3 page paper:

- **Identification:** Identify the country of your choice. Discuss the reason for your choice and your general knowledge of the country.
- **Description:** You must provide information regarding the criminal justice system in the European country. Things to consider: Structure of the criminal justice system, governing body of the law and how it is implemented, oversight of the system, etc.
- **Outcome:** What laws/rights need to be addressed in the scenario? How would the scenario be addressed in this country? Provide a detailed explanation for your opinion.

Produce research evidence and examples (from the Web, library, etc.) to support your opinions. Use at least two outside resources, properly cited and listed. You may use MLA or APA format for the references page and in-text citations. A critical component of this profession is the ability to communicate in writing. A research paper is one way you can practice this required skill. Therefore, it is important that the content of the paper is conveyed in a clear and concise manner. Unfortunately, grammar and structural errors will always interfere with readability and the value of the paper.

**Part II**

**Press Release:** After completing the research in reference to the criminal justice system in the country of your choice, you will write a one page press release to the citizens of that country. The press release will address your identified issue in the scenario. It will be written from the perspective of the head administrator from that country. For example: If the press release was issued in the United States, it would be provided by the Chief of Police, Sheriff, etc.