EQUALIZING ACCESS TO JUSTICE UNST 421 – Spring 2012 – PSU

WEEKLY JOURNAL ASSIGNMENT

Rational Law vs. Substantive Law

- A) Please read the attached reading on "The Sociology of Law" with a special attention to the section "What is Justice?"
- B) Read and reflect on the following code:

In Pursuit of Equal Access to Justice for All

- "Contrary to the common belief in maintaining tight blindfolds on the statue of Justice, it is time to remove those blindfolds and perhaps even replace them with magnifying glasses, to recognize and appreciate the differences." M. Khalil Zonoozy
- C) Write a 500-word critical reflection of the above statement utilizing the attached reading plus those related in your packet and class discussions. A related printed piece attached (if possible) will be highly desirable.

Please be candid and open with your response and express your true evaluation and conclusion.

• This assignment worth "5" plus "10" points. A related small group exercise will follow to be evaluated based on "10" additional points.

Good Luck!