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**COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS**

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Paper 4 Contemporary International Debates: Contexts and Comparisons

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**1 hour 40 minutes**

Additional Materials: Answer Paper/Booklet

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**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

Answer **two** questions.

Every essay is marked out of 50.

Substantiated examples and critical evaluation must be drawn from various countries/regions of the world, and candidates will be expected to compare and contrast at least **two** of these in their answers, neither of which may be the UK or the USA (although either or both may be referenced for supplementary context or comparison).

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This document consists of **2** printed pages.

Answer **two** questions.

- 1 'There is too much focus on human rights in the world today.' Assess this view.
- 2 'Democracy faces too many threats to be a success globally.' Assess this view on the durability of democracy.
- 3 'The threat of environmental disaster makes the need for global government inevitable.' Discuss.
- 4 'The main cause of war today is nationalism.' How true is this statement?
- 5 'Sovereignty is an outdated concept.' Assess this view.

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