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GEOGRAPHY (PRINCIPAL)

Paper 2 Global Themes

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Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper

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Answer two questions, one from Section A and one from Section B.

Candidates are encouraged to support their answers with appropriate examples, sketch maps and diagrams.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together. The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

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Section A

Answer **one** question from this section.

Migration and Urban Change

- **1** Evaluate the consequences of urbanisation on rural source areas. [25]
- 2 'Countries require greater international freedom of movement of labour, yet some people are only interested in increased migration controls.'

Discuss both parts of this statement.

Trade, Debt and Aid

- 3 Examine how foreign direct investment (FDI) has led to national debt, debt crises and consequent debt relief. [25]
- 4 Examine the roles of trade, remittances and aid in the globalisation of the world economy. [25]

People, Place and Conflicts

- 5 'The "nation-state" is a concept that has now lost its purpose.'Examine the validity of this statement. [25]
- **6** To what extent have resources been the main cause of international conflicts? [25]

Section B

Answer **one** question from this section.

Energy and Mineral Resources

7 'Until we can accurately measure stocks and reserves of both mineral and energy resources, discussions about resource depletion are of limited value.'

To what extent do you agree with this statement? [25]

8 To what extent can the socio-economic impact of mineral and energy resource exploitation be managed at a local scale? [25]

The Provision of Food

9 'Food producers should never disregard physical geography.'

Discuss the validity of this statement.

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10 To what extent can local rather than international initiatives solve the issue of global food insecurity? [25]

Tourism Spaces

11 'Although unsustainable, mass tourism still dominates the global tourist industry.'

Discuss the validity of this statement.

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12 'Modern media have changed consumer choices of tourism destinations.'

Examine the validity of this statement, and consider the impact such changes are having on tourism spaces. [25]

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