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**SOCIOLOGY**

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Paper 4 Globalisation, Media and Religion

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**1 hour 45 minutes**



You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** questions in total, each from a different section.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

This document has **4** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

Answer **two** questions in total, each from a different section.

**Section A: Globalisation**

**EITHER**

1 'Globalisation is leading to increased cultural diversity.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**OR**

2 'Dependency theory provides the best explanation of global inequality.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**Section B: Media**

**EITHER**

3 'Media content is controlled primarily by governments.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**OR**

4 'The hypodermic syringe model accurately describes how people are influenced by the media.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**Section C: Religion**

**EITHER**

5 'Rather than promoting social order, religion is a source of conflict in society.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**OR**

6 'There is little evidence to support the secularisation thesis.' Evaluate this view. [35]



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