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B.A. FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS 2017/2018
DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES
RUSS 205: RUSSIAN HISTORY AND CIVILIZATION (2 CREDITS)

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

TIME ALLOWED: TWO HOURS

1. What are the factors that led to the emancipation of the Serbs in Russia? Comment on the emancipation statutes.
2. What were the socio-political conditions in Russia that led to the Great October Socialist Revolution?
3. Relate Stalin's agricultural policy to his industrialization policy.
4. Do you agree to the fact that Gorbachev's perestroika and democratization process contributed to the collapse of the former Soviet Union?