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ISLAMIC
RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION
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2 ½ hours



NATIONAL EDUCATION RESEARCH & EXAMINATIONS BUREAU
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ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
PAPER 3
2 hours 30 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Answer any **FOUR** questions.
- All questions carry equal marks.
- Any additional question(s) answered shall not be marked.

1. To what extent were the Jahiliyah Arabs irreligious? (25 marks)
2. Discuss the reasons and methodologies used by the Meccan pagans to impeach Islam between 610 – 632 AD. (25 marks)
3. (a) Discuss the background of Abubakar Al- Swidiq before the Trek to Madina. (13 marks)
(b) How did he restore calm in the muslim community after Prophet's death? (12 marks)
4. Examine the extent to which Umar Ibn Abdul – Aziz reflected orthodox qualities during his reign as a Caliph. (25 marks)
5. Discuss the intellectual life during the Ummayyad dynasty? (25 marks)
6. How far true is the claim that the Abbasid leadership was innovative in nature? (25 marks)
7. Assess the values that facilitated Haruna Rashid's recognition as a prominent caliph of the Abbasids. (25 marks)
8. To what extent did Ubaidillah contribute to the foundation and consolidation of the Fatimid's dynasty in Egypt? (25 marks)
9. Analyze the political and economic organization of the Fatimid's in Egypt. (25 marks)
- 10.(a) Account for the rise of the Safavids in Persia. (13 marks)
(b) Explain the factors responsible for their downfall. (12 marks)
11. The period between 1520 – 1522 was referred to as the “Zenith” of the Ottoman Empire. Explain the factors behind this claim. (25 marks)
12. “Although the Ottoman Empire lasted for six centuries, it's collapse was inevitable.” Discuss. (25 marks)

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