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Wednesday 13 May 2020								
Afternoon (Time: 2 hours 15 minutes)					Paper Reference 8HI0/1E			
History								
Advanced Subsidiary								
Paper 1: Breadth study with interpretations								
Option 1E: Russia, 1917–91: from Lenin to Yeltsin								
You must have: Extracts Booklet (enclosed)							Total Marks	

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- There are three sections in this question paper. Answer **ONE** question from Section A, **ONE** question from Section B and the question in Section C.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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SECTION A**Answer EITHER Question 1 OR Question 2.****EITHER**

- 1** Was Stalin's industrialisation programme the main reason for the purges in the Soviet Union in the 1930s?

(Total for Question 1 = 20 marks)**OR**

- 2** Were the failures of the Five-Year Plans the main reason for the economic difficulties faced by the Soviet Union in the years 1928–53?

(Total for Question 2 = 20 marks)

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SECTION B**Answer EITHER Question 3 OR Question 4.****EITHER**

- 3** How accurate is it to say that the personality cults of Stalin, Khrushchev and Brezhnev were different?

(Total for Question 3 = 20 marks)**OR**

- 4** How accurate is it to say that Soviet government attitudes to the family did not change in the years 1917–85?

(Total for Question 4 = 20 marks)

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SECTION C

Study Extracts 1 and 2 in the Extracts Booklet before you answer this question.

- 5 Historians have different views about the reasons for the fall of the Soviet Union. Analyse and evaluate the extracts and use your knowledge of the issues to explain your answer to the following question.

How far do you agree with the view that the collapse of the Soviet Union came about because of Gorbachev's failure to reform the political system?

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TOTAL FOR SECTION C = 20 MARKS
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 60 MARKS

