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A Level History A

Unit Y222

The Cold War in Asia 1945–1993

Sample Question Paper

Date – Morning/Afternoon

Time allowed: 1 hour



OCR supplied materials:

- 12 page Answer Booklet

Other materials required:

- None



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INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Complete the boxes above with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Choose either Question 1 or Question 2 and Answer all parts of the question.
- Write your answer to each question on the Answer Booklet.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **30**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- Quality of extended responses will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).
- This document consists of **4** pages.

Answer **EITHER** all of Question 1, or all of Question 2.

1 (a) Which was the more successful 'Model State' for the United States in the period 1945–1952?

- (i) Japan
- (ii) The Philippines

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii).

[10]

1 (b)* 'American military strategy led to defeat in the Vietnam War.' How far do you agree?

[20]

OR

2 (a) Which was more important in determining US policy in Asia during the early 1950s?

- (i) The Defensive Perimeter Strategy 1949
- (ii) NSC 68 in 1950

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii).

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2 (b)* How important was Russian intervention in the outbreak of the Korean War in 1950?

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