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TITLE OF PAPER: HISTORY OF COMPARATIVE INDUSTRIALISATION
COURSE CODE: H405
TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS
INSTRUCTIONS:
1. THERE ARE TWO SECTIONS IN THIS PAPER
2. ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS IN EACH SECTION

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SECTION A

1. What is industrialisation?
2. Discuss the role of the state in industrialisation.
3. Critically explore the relationship between industrialisation and technology.
4. What role did trade and agriculture play in the industrialisation of Britain?

SECTION B

5. Assess the importance of railways in the industrialisation of Germany.
6. Was there an industrial revolution in France in the 19th century?
7. Why do some economic historians regard the industrialisation of the former Soviet Union as unique?
8. What obstacles hinder the industrialisation of the Third World today?

END OF EXAMINATION