History or Geography
00-6007

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Subject Title	**History or Geography**
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Type of Exam	**WRITTEN**
Weighting (Coef.)	**SEE INSIDE**

Duration: 11:15 - 12:15

General Instructions

You are reminded of the necessity for good English and orderly presentation of your material. Where calculations are involved show your working, giving your answer at each stage.

Content: QUESTIONS

Specific Instructions

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Coefficient: 1
Duration: 1 hour

GEOGRAPHY

No documents are allowed except those given by the examiner

Answer ONE question only

QUESTION1:

Problems of Forest Exploitation

Discuss the natural problems that confront forest exploitation and their solutions. **(20marks)**

Mark Distribution

Introduction..... 2mks
Development..... 14mks
Conclusion..... 2mks
Presentation..... 2 mks

QUESTION2:

Study the passage below and then answer the questions that follow:

"Since 1960, successive governments have conducted pro-active industrial development policies. As a result, Cameroon has a relative diverse industrial sector, which is currently being overhauled as a result of structural adjustment measures, devaluation of the CFA franc in 1994 and economic liberalisation. In 2005, 15% of the workforce was employed in the secondary sector, which accounted for 26%.Although the manufacturing sector is thriving, it faces several problems: shortage of energy, insecure social and legal environment and the difficulty of obtaining backing for small and medium-size businesses... ".

Henri Yambéné Bomono (2007): Africa Atlases: Cameroon. LES EDITIONS J.A p.94

a) (i) State the author and source of the passage. **(2 marks)**
(ii) Describe clearly the theme of the passage. **(2 marks)**
b) Identify from the passage two (02) policy changes that have favoured industrial growth in Cameroon and two (02) hindrances to rapid industrial development. (4 marks)

c) Describe two (02) policies used to accelerate industrial development in Cameroon. (4 marks)

d) State two (02) positive examples that Cameroon can copy from the Newly Industrialised Countries (Emerging Economies) for the development of its industries. (4 marks)

e) Describe clearly the nature of industrial development in the world. (4 marks)