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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION – JULY 2008

TITLE PAPER: COMPARATIVE HISTORY OF INDUSTRIALIZATION

COURSE CODE: H405

TIME ALLOWED 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Answer **FOUR** (4) QUESTIONS
2. Answer at least one question from each section
3. All questions carry equal marks (25).

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PERMISSION TO DO.**

SECTION A

1. What would be your reaction to Walther Hoffmann's conceptualisation of the industrialise process?
2. Use specific examples to show why and how the role of the state in the industrialisation of European nations in the nineteenth century differed from country to country.
3. What role did technology play in early European industrialisation?
4. Discuss the role played by railways in the industrialisation and economic development of Third World countries.

SECTION B

5. What factors contributed towards the industrialisation of the European economy?
6. Describe the character and nature of the first generation of entrepreneurs. What was the importance of this group?
7. Discuss clearly the origins and character of the Kartell Movement in Germany.
8. Why did France take much longer to industrialise compared to countries such as Britain?