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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER, JULY 2010

TITLE OF PAPER: ASPECTS OF WORLD HISTORY FROM 1500 TO 1800

COURSE CODE : H102

TIME ALLOWED : 1 HR 45 MIN

INSTRUCTIONS : 1. ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.

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GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR.**

CHOOSE AND ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS.

Each question is worth 25 marks.

QUESTION 1

What was the economic and political impact of the revivalist movements in China between A.D 25 and A.D 221?

QUESTION 2

Analyze the conditions under which the Iron Culture spread to sub-Equatorial Africa after the fall of Meroe.

QUESTION 3

Discuss the factors that facilitated the rise and fall of the state of Mali.

QUESTION 4

What were the contributions of the Mongolians to the establishment of the Chinese state between AD 970 and AD 1368?

QUESTION 6

Discuss the economic reasons given to account for the expansion of European nations in the mercantilist era.