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SEMESTER II FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER
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COURSE NAME : HISTORY OF SWAZILAND SINCE 1900 TO THE 1980s

COURSE CODE : H212

TIME ALLOWED : 2 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS : 1. CHOOSE AND ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS
2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS
**3. INDICATE YOUR PROGRAMME ON THE OUTER
COVER OF THE ANSWER BOOKLET!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

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CHOOSE AND ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS FROM THE FOLLOWING.
Each question is worth 25 marks.

QUESTION 1

Show how Sir Alfred Milner's 1904 Concessions Commission and Lord Selborne's Land Partition Proclamation of 1907 failed to solve the land problem for the Swazi. How did this affect the Swazi?

QUESTION 2

Analyse the economic and social effects of the European encroachment and colonisation process in the lives of the Swazi. Your argument should **also** include at least four (4) of the British Proclamations passed from 1903.

QUESTION 3

"The outbreak of World War II led to a change in Britain's attitude towards economically developing her African colonies including Swaziland." Show how Earl Winterton's argument and the events of February 1942 led to the change of Britain's attitude. Give two examples of economic activities in Swaziland which were a result of this change.

QUESTION 4

"Before the 1960s European employers in Swaziland were against the introduction of Trade Unions." State the reasons given by these employers for their stand. Use two (2) examples to show how the workers reacted to work related problems in the absence of trade unions.

QUESTION 5

What factors made a majority of the Swazis to support the Imbokodvo National Movement. State **other** reasons that led to the victory of this movement in the 1967 general elections.