

## NOTICE TO CENTRES

FAO: Teachers of GCE Government and Politics

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### GCE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS COMPULSORY QUESTIONS

We would like to take this opportunity to remind all teachers preparing candidates for compulsory questions on F851, F852, F853 and F854, that topics may be drawn from any of those listed in the specification.

It has come to our attention that some centres believe a predictable pattern of questioning has emerged on the setting of compulsory questions. In order to clarify we would like to emphasise there is no intended pattern and that, in line with good educational practice, centres need to prepare candidates to cover **all** topics.

Centres must not assume that only those topics not assessed to date will be set as compulsory questions. To avoid any predictability, topics already assessed may also reappear as compulsory questions.

Centres are advised that candidates be prepared with this notice in mind.

If you have any queries about this notice, please call our Customer Contact Centre on 01223 553998.