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**International Advanced Subsidiary
PAPER 1: Depth Study with Interpretations
Option 1A: France in Revolution, 1774–99**

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Instructions

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- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **TWO** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
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Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
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Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Answer TWO questions from the following.

You must start your answer to your first question on page 3.

You must start your answer to your second question on page 13.

EITHER

- 1** Historians differ in their judgements about the problems facing France in the 1780s.

'The taxation system was a more significant problem in France, in the 1780s, than was corruption at court.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 1 = 25 marks)

OR

- 2** Historians differ in their judgements about the revolution in the years 1789–93.

'Brissot was the main driving force behind the revolution in the years 1789–93.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 2 = 25 marks)

OR

- 3** Historians differ in their judgements about the Terror in France in the years 1793–94.

'In the years 1793–94, the main consequence of the Terror in France was the deaths of those seen as a danger to the Republic.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 3 = 25 marks)

OR

- 4** Historians differ in their judgements about the government of France in the years 1794–99.

'The Directory (November 1795–November 1799) governed France more effectively than did the Thermidorean government (July 1794–October 1795).'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

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