



**GCE AS/A level**

471/03

**HISTORY – HI1**

**UNIT 1**

**PERIOD STUDY 3**

**ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF**

**WALES AND ENGLAND,**

**c. 1815-1914**

P.M. MONDAY, 2 June 2008

45 minutes

**ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

In addition to this examination paper, you will need an 8 page answer book.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer **one** question.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The number of marks is given in square brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

The time you spend on a question should be in proportion to the marks available.

**You are reminded that marking will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.**

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*Answer one question.*

**1. Wales and England, c. 1815-1832.**

- (a) Explain why the Whigs attempted to reform Parliament. [24]
- (b) To what extent were economic factors the main cause of popular protest in the period 1815-1832? [36]

**2. British foreign policy, c. 1815-1865.**

- (a) Explain why Canning changed Britain's foreign policy. [24]
- (b) To what extent was British foreign policy mainly based on the maintenance of the Vienna settlement? [36]

**3. Society in transition, 1815-1846.**

- (a) Explain why trade unionism grew in this period. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the reform of the Poor Law the most important change affecting the people of Wales and England in the period 1815-1846? [36]