

General Certificate of Education  
June 2006  
Advanced Level Examination



**LAW**  
**Unit 6 Concepts of Law**

**LAW6**

Wednesday 21 June 2006 9.00 am to 10.30 am

**For this paper you must have:**

- a 12-page answer book

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The *Examining Body* for this paper is AQA. The *Paper Reference* is LAW6.
- Answer **two** questions.
- Do all rough work in the answer book. Cross through any work you do not want marked.
- This is a **synoptic** paper. You should, therefore, illustrate your answers with relevant material gained in your study of any of the modules.

**Information**

- The maximum mark for this paper is 70.  
10 of these marks are for the Quality of Written Communication.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers. All questions should be answered in continuous prose. Quality of Written Communication will be assessed in all answers.

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- 1 Discuss the extent to which a judge can develop the law through the operation of the doctrine of judicial precedent **and** by different approaches to statutory interpretation. *(30 marks)*
- 2 Explain the relationship between law and morals. Consider the extent to which the law **should** seek to uphold moral values. *(30 marks)*
- 3 Consider the meaning and importance of fault-based liability in English law. *(30 marks)*
- 4 Discuss the meaning of justice and consider whether justice is achieved in English law. *(30 marks)*

**END OF QUESTIONS**