

NOTICE TO CENTRES

FAO: Head of History
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Subject: GCE History A AS History Enquiries Units F963-F964

GCE HISTORY A – UNIT F963-F964 GENERIC MARK SCHEME JANUARY AND JUNE 2010

The generic mark scheme for Units F963 and F964 for use from January 2010 is being updated and clarified. For sub-question (a), the marking grid will consist of two columns (instead of three): one for AO1 combined and one for AO2a.

For sub-question (b), the marking grid will consist of two columns (instead of four): one for AO1 combined and one for AO2 combined.

The weighting of marks across the assessment targets remains unchanged, and therefore no change to the delivery or preparation for the examination is required or recommended.

The finalised version of the mark scheme will be available on the OCR website from December 2009.

GCE HISTORY A – UNIT F965 HISTORICAL INTERPRETATIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS FOR JANUARY AND JUNE 2010

Investigation question 17.4 in the **Causes of World War II, 1918-1941** contained an error. The question, which has been corrected in the document on the website, should read:

17.4 Assess the view that the German occupation of Bohemia and Moravia in March 1939 marked the end of appeasement.

Any enquiry about this notice should be referred to the OCR Customer Contact Centre, (01223 553998), OCR, 1 Hills Road, Cambridge, CB1 2EU.