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HISTORY – HI4

UNIT 4

PERIOD STUDY 5

ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF EUROPE, c.1490 - 1621

A.M. FRIDAY, 8 June 2007

(1 hour 30 minutes)

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need a 12 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **two** questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in square brackets at the end of each 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 two questions.

1. Spain, 1516-1556.

To what extent were Charles V's failures in Spain the main factor in his abdication? [80]

2. Spain in the reign of Philip II to 1588.

To what extent were Philip II's attempts to deal with England his main problem up to 1588? [80]

3. Spain and the Netherlands.

To what extent was religion the main cause of revolt in the Netherlands? [80]