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HUMANITIES

CONTEMPORARY ISSUES UNIT THE CHANGING WORLD OF WORK

PAPER 1

A.M. TUESDAY, 15 May 2007

³/₄ hour (of 1³/₄ hour examination)

Questions	Office
Answered	use
TOTAL	30

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer all questions on this paper.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Use supplementary sheets when there is insufficient room in this booklet. Write your name at the top of each supplementary sheet, indicating clearly the number of the question you answer. Put the supplementary sheets inside this booklet.

You must hand in this answer booklet *separately* at the end of the examination.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

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

You will be awarded marks for the quality of your written communication.

Your answers must be relevant and must make full use of the information given to be awarded full marks for a question.

You are reminded that you should always support your answers using your knowledge and understanding of the topic chosen.

No certificate will be awarded to a candidate detected in any unfair practice during the examination.

CONTEMPORARY ISSUES UNIT

THE CHANGING WORLD OF WORK

Answer all questions.

(a) Study Source A below and then answer the question which follows.

Source A

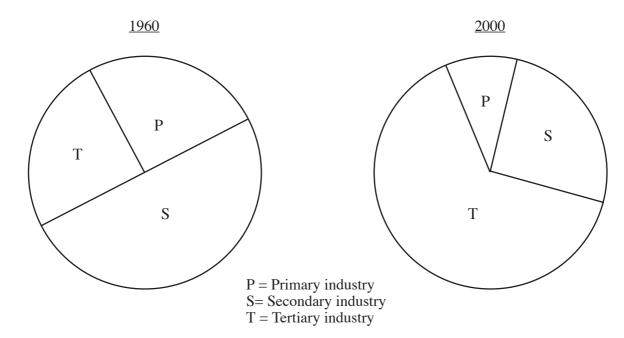
'Henry Ford developed the idea of a continuously moving assembly line. As the car chassis moved down the line, the workers had to produce their set tasks before it had passed by. The most important skill was speed, as anyone could learn the simple, repetitive tasks. Ford could produce more cars in less time and at less cost.'

[From a school history text-book]

What does Source A tell you about 'mass production'?	[2]		

(b) Study Source B below which shows the proportion of jobs in different sections in the UK and then answer the question which follows.

Source B



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(c)	Describe the impact of computerisation in the work place.	[6]
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(d)	Explain how the LEDC.	ne work of a n	on-religious ai	d agency may	bring long	term benefits to an [8]

(e)	'The development of industry in a newly industrialising economy brings more disadvantages than benefits.'								
	How far do you agree with this statement? Explain your answer.								
	(In your answer you should consider a specific country or countries such as Brazil, Korea or India, and issues such as changing work patterns, relocation of jobs, the effects on local industry and over-reliance on one type of industry.) [10]								