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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualification:–

B.A.

Hebrew & Jew. Studs. C93: The Arab–Israeli Conflict

COURSE CODE : HEBRC093

UNIT VALUE : 1.00

DATE : 13–MAY–04

TIME : 14.30

TIME ALLOWED : 3 Hours

HEBRC93: The Arab-Israeli Conflict

Answer THREE of the following questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Why were no Arab-Israeli peace agreements signed following the conclusion of the 1948 War? Discuss with reference to the work of Israel's 'new historians'.
2. To what extent did the Suez Crisis lead to the decline of Anglo-French influence in the Middle East?
3. Assess the role of President Nasser of Egypt in shaping the Arab world during the 1950's.
4. "The 1973 Arab-Israeli War was unavoidable". Discuss.
5. How significant were the Camp Davis Accords signed by Egypt and Israel to the wider Arab-Israeli Conflict?
6. Assess the impact of the Lebanon War on Israeli politics between 1982 and 2000.
7. Examine the importance of the first Palestinian *Intifada* (1987-1992) in reshaping the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.
8. Assess the role of Jordan in the Arab-Israeli Conflict from June 1967 to the present.
9. Examine the role of the Soviet Union in the Middle East from 1955 to 1991.
10. "The issue of the final status of Jerusalem can not be resolved without altering the city's municipal boundaries." Discuss this statement with reference to the various diplomatic proposals for resolving the problem.

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