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## SOCIOLOGY

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Paper 4 Globalisation, Media and Religion

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1 hour 45 minutes



You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

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### INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** questions in total, each from a different section.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

### INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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This document has **4** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

Answer **two** questions in total, each from a different section.

**Section A: Globalisation**

**EITHER**

- 1 'Poverty in developing countries is caused by the spread of global capitalism.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**OR**

- 2 'Only rich countries benefit from global migration.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**Section B: Media**

**EITHER**

- 3 'No single group controls the media.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**OR**

- 4 'The media has a direct and powerful influence on human behaviour.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**Section C: Religion**

**EITHER**

- 5 'Religious organisations are patriarchal.' Evaluate this view. [35]

**OR**

- 6 'People are less religious today than in the past.' Evaluate this view. [35]

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