



General Certificate of Education
Advanced Level Examination
June 2014

History

HIS3M

Unit 3M The Making of Modern Britain, 1951–2007

Monday 2 June 2014 9.00 am to 10.30 am

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 12-page answer book

Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Paper Reference** is HIS3M.
- Answer **two** questions.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on each question.

Answer **two** questions.

0 1 'Labour lost power in 1970 because of its own failings in the years 1964 to 1970.'
Assess the validity of this view.

[45 marks]

0 2 How successful were the Conservative governments of 1979 to 1997 in dealing with
Britain's economic problems?

[45 marks]

0 3 'It was only because of the "special relationship" with the USA that Britain could exert an
influence on international affairs in the years 1951 to 2007.'
Assess the validity of this view.

[45 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS