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Option D: A World Divided: Communism and Democracy in the Twentieth Century	
Wednesday 26 May 2010 – Morning	Paper Reference
<b>Time: 1 hour 20 minutes</b>	<b>6HI01/D</b>
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### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **TWO** questions: **ONE** question on each of the **TWO** topics for which you have been prepared. You may only answer **ONE** question on each topic.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- The quality of your written communication will be assessed in ALL your responses  
– *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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**6HI01/D – A World Divided: Communism and Democracy in the Twentieth Century**

**Answer TWO questions: ONE question on each of the TWO topics for which you have been prepared. You may only answer ONE question on each topic.**

**You must start the answer to your first question on page 4.  
You must start the answer to your second question on page 12.**

**D1 – Crises, Tensions and Political Divisions in China, 1900–49**

**EITHER**

- 1** How far were attempts at reform after 1900 responsible for the fall of the Qing dynasty in 1911–12?

**(Total for Question 1 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

- 2** Why were the Nationalists (GMD) unable to defeat their foreign and domestic enemies in the years 1928–36?

**(Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)**

**D2 – Mao’s China, 1949–76**

**EITHER**

- 3** How far was the government of China in the years 1949–62 based on a personal dictatorship exercised by Mao Zedong?

**(Total for Question 3 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

- 4** How far did Chinese women achieve equality of status with men in the years 1949–76?

**(Total for Question 4 = 30 marks)**

**D3 – Russia in Revolution, 1881–1924: From Autocracy to Dictatorship**

**EITHER**

- 5** How far do you agree that the use of repression was the main reason for the weakness of opposition to Tsarism in the years 1881–1914?

**(Total for Question 5 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

- 6** To what extent does the impact of the First World War explain the outbreak of two revolutions in Russia in 1917?

**(Total for Question 6 = 30 marks)**



**D4 – Stalin’s Russia, 1924–53**

**EITHER**

**7** How successful were the Five-Year Plans in transforming Russian industry in the years to 1941?

**(Total for Question 7 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**8** To what extent did Soviet culture perform a political role in the USSR in the years 1924–53?

**(Total for Question 8 = 30 marks)**

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**D5 – Pursuing Life and Liberty: Equality in the USA, 1945–68**

**EITHER**

**9** How accurate is it to say that the status of black people in the United States changed very little in the years 1945–55?

**(Total for Question 9 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**10** How far was peaceful protest responsible for the successes of the civil rights movement in the years 1955–64?

**(Total for Question 10 = 30 marks)**

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**D6 – Ideology, Conflict and Retreat: the USA in Asia, 1950–73**

**EITHER**

**11** Why did the USA become increasingly involved in south-east Asia in the 1950s?

**(Total for Question 11 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**12** To what extent were changing attitudes among the US public responsible for the reduction of the number of US troops in Vietnam in the years 1969–73?

**(Total for Question 12 = 30 marks)**

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**D7 – Politics, Presidency and Society in the USA, 1968–2001**

**EITHER**

**13** To what extent were changes in popular culture responsible for dividing rather than uniting US society in the years 1968–2001?

**(Total for Question 13 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**14** Why was Clinton able to win the Presidential elections of 1992 and 1996?

**(Total for Question 14 = 30 marks)**





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