DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Attempt TWO questions, each from a different Option.
- Each question is worth 25 marks.
- Where appropriate, candidates should illustrate answers with maps, diagrams, and/or reference to fieldwork.
- Answer each question in a SEPARATE Writing Booklet.
- You may ask for extra Writing Booklets if you need them.
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**OPTION 1  BIOPHYSICAL STUDIES**

EITHER

1. Explain the natural processes and functioning in ONE component of the biophysical environment. Describe the interactions between the selected component and the other components of the biophysical environment.

   OR

2. With reference to ONE environmental issue, explain why an understanding of natural processes is necessary for effective management and sustainable outcomes.

**OPTION 2  DEVELOPMENT GEOGRAPHY**

EITHER

3. Describe and account for the nature and spatial distribution of development at the global scale.

   OR

4. Using sample studies, explain how different levels and rates of development result from a range of economic, technological, social, cultural, political and biophysical factors.

**OPTION 3  POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY**

EITHER

5. Analyse the various paths taken towards conflict resolution by communities, regions and nations, and the resulting outcomes, such as territorial, land use, environmental and social.

   OR

6. Using sample studies, analyse the causes of political tensions and conflicts at a variety of scales.

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