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Paper 2 Islamic Law (*Shariah*) and its Application **May/June 2022**

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You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** questions in total:
  - Section A: answer **one** question.
  - Section B: answer **one** question.
- 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 50.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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Section A

Answer **EITHER** Question 1 **OR** Question 2.

EITHER

1 **(a)** State **five** actions performed during purification (*wudu*). [5]

(b) Explain the circumstances when Muslims may **not** need to make purification (*wudu*) before prayer. [10]

(c) To what extent are purification (*wudu*) and prayer (*salah*) connected? Give reasons to support your answer. [10]

[Total: 25]

OR

2 **(a)** State **five** businesses or trades which Muslims should avoid. [5]

(b) Describe the conditions necessary for trade and business transactions in Islam. [10]

(c) 'Honesty is the most important requirement for trade in Islam.' Do you agree? Discuss this statement with reference to different points of view. [10]

[Total: 25]

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Section B

Answer **EITHER** Question 3 **OR** Question 4.

EITHER

3 **(a)** Explain the importance of ʿAli for Shiʾi Muslims. [10]

(b) Assess the importance of the Prophet's family for Sunni and Shi'i Muslims. [15]

[Total: 25]

OR

4 **(a)** Explain different Muslim views about predestination (*qadar*). [10]

(b) 'Muslims are not able to influence their future.' Do you agree? Discuss this statement with reference to different points of view. [15]

[Total: 25]

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