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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

Answer any four questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Any additional question(s) answered will not be marked.

1. (a) Examine the events that led to compilation of the Qur'an.

(b) Explain the process of this compilation.

2. Account for the fact that the authenticity of the Qur'an has never been queried by Muslims. Whereas that of other sources has often been queried.

3. The concept of monotheism as presented by the Qur'an is broader than merely a belief in oneness of God. Blessing on the Qur'anic teachings analyze this concept.

4. Examine the silent features of the paradise (Jannat) contained in Surah 56:11- 38.

5. In view of the Qur'anic teachings, explain the responsibilities of a leader and those of the citizens.

6. Discuss Qur'anic teachings on the nature of the soul.

7. (a) Examine the circumstances that led to the revelation of the verse prescribing a particular type of dress for Muslim women.

(b) Should Muslim men dress as freely as they wish? Justify your view.

8. Examine the origins and development of Tafsir.

9. Assess the strength of traditional exegesis (Tafsir bil-M'equl).

10. Compare the Qur'an with the previous revealed books recognized by Muslims.

11. Examine the teachings of Surat Alaq.

12. Discuss the teaching of Surat Mai-da on lawful and unlawful things.

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