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FINAL EXAMINATION – MAY/JUNE, 2019

B.A., B.Ed.

TITLE PAPER: SPECIAL AREA STUDIES (Southeast Asia)

COURSE CODE: GEP 414/432

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER THREE QUESTIONS.**
- 2. QUESTION ONE IS COMPULSORY.**
- 3. CHOOSE TWO QUESTIONS FROM SECTION B.**
- 4. WHERE APPROPRIATE, ILLUSTRATE YOUR ANSWER WITH EXAMPLES.**

MARKS ALLOCATION: QUESTION ONE CARRIES FORTY MARKS AND THE OTHER QUESTIONS CARRY THIRTY MARKS EACH.

THIS QUESTION PAPER SHOULD NOT BE OPENED UNTIL PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR

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SECTION A: COMPULSORY

QUESTION 1

- a) Using examples, discuss the major problems currently facing Southeast Asian cities. (25 marks)
- b) To what extent do these problems differ from those facing Southern African cities such as Manzini in the Kingdom of Eswatini? (15 marks)
- (40 Marks)**

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION 2

'Export-oriented industrialization has been in the forefront of Southeast Asia's remarkable economic growth'. Discuss the validity of the statement. (30 Marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Discuss the contribution made by the tourism industry in the economic development of the Southeast Asian region. (15 marks)
- b) Using examples, discuss the strategies by local governments of Southeast Asian states towards development and improvement of sustainable tourism. (15 marks)
- (30 Marks)**

QUESTION 4

Using examples, discuss both the negative and positive consequences of colonialism in Southeast Asian nations. (30 Marks)

QUESTION 5

Critically discuss how rapid economic development has transformed the face of Singapore. (30 Marks)
