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SEA302 - Economic Transformation in Southeast Asia

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Answer THREE (3) questions; you must answer ONE (1) question from each section. Begin your answer to each question on a new booklet. All questions carry equal marks.

Section A

- 1. Analyze general phenomena of industrialization process in ASEAN countries. The analysis should include particularly the needs for industrialization and the stages of industrialization in the region.
- 2. How does industrialization get started and proceed? Discuss this in the context of industrialization in ASEAN region.

Section B

- 3. As the Southeast Asian economies grow, the income inequalities are also growing. Explain this trend with reference to Kuznet hypothesis.
- 4. Elaborate on the salient features of educational development in Southeast Asia

Section C

- Explain the changes in the industrial structure of the East Asian countries using the flying geese model. Discuss trade competition between China and the ASEAN countries.
- 6. Briefly discuss the major factors that contributed to the rapid growth in inter-regional trade of ASEAN countries.