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**HXE 301 - Dari Milton Ke Johnson (From Milton To Johnson)**

**Masa: [3 jam]**

**THIS EXAMINATION PAPER CONTAINS SIX [6] QUESTIONS IN THREE [3] PAGES.**

Answer **TWO** [2] of the following questions.

**SECTION A**

**EITHER**

1. a) In Gulliver's Travels, the stature of man seems to diminish in the eyes of Swift.

How far do you think Gulliver's Travels supports this view?

(100 marks)

**OR**

- b) Based on Gulliver's Travels, why is the maxim of living with reason alone inappropriate?

(100 marks)

**EITHER**

2. a) How is Congreve's The Way of the World a satire on the ineptitude of human beings and the pretensions of high society?
- (100 marks)

**OR**

- b) Discuss the portrayal of wit play among the characters in Congreve's The Way of the World.
- (100 marks)

**SECTION B**

Answer any **TWO** [2] of the following questions

3. (a) Compare and contrast the speeches of Satan and Beelzebub in relation to their usefulness as character analysis.
- (100 marks)

**OR**

- (b) Would you say that the portrayal of Satan in Book I and II of Paradise Lost is ambiguous given the fact that Milton sets out to justify the ways of God to Man? Discuss.
- (100 marks)

4. Pope's The Rape of the Lock is both a parody of human behaviour in general and of a specific gender in particular. Discuss

(100 marks)

5. Pope's Epistle to Dr. Arbuthnot is said to be written in the tradition of the Greek concept of apologia. In your reading of the poem how far is this claim justified?

(100 marks)

6. The Vanity of Human Wishes and London are examples of general satire. Discuss.

(100 marks)