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**Pearson Edexcel Level 3 GCE**

**Thursday 25 May 2023**

Morning (Time: 1 hour)

Paper reference **8RS0/02**

**Religious Studies**

**Advanced Subsidiary**

**PAPER 2: Religion and Ethics**

**You do not need any other materials.**

Total Marks

## Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- There are **two** sections in this question paper. Answer **all** the questions in each section.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*

## Information

- The total mark for this paper is 54.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

## Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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## 1 Explore key ideas regarding pacifism.

**(Total for Question 1= 8 marks)**



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- 2 Assess the view that Situation Ethics fails to offer a helpful means of solving moral dilemmas.

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3 Assess the work of **one** leading figure in the campaign for equal rights.

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 26 MARKS**



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## SECTION B

Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

- 4 (a) Explore religious and ethical perspectives on the welfare of animals.

(8)

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(b) Analyse the strengths and weaknesses of using religious teachings as a guide to ideas about the conservation of the natural world.

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 28 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 54 MARKS**



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