

MATRICULATION AND SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS BOARD

INTERMEDIATE MATRICULATION LEVEL 2018 FIRST SESSION

SUBJECT: Theatre and Performance

DATE: 2nd May 2018

TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 11:35 a.m.

THEATRE HISTORY

Answer any THREE questions in essay form.

Answer ALL questions in English.

Start each answer on a separate page.

Write the question number of each answer in the left margin.

Questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Discuss, with relevant examples, how Naturalism and Realism attempted the reproduction of life on stage.
- 2. Discuss the work of the Commedia dell'arte actors on the character types.
- 3. Outline the main aspects of the ancient Greek theatre structures, including their relation to democracy.
- 4. What characteristics make Broadway and West-End theatre a form of popular entertainment?

(Total: 60% of the global mark)