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**A-level**  
**RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

**Paper 1 Philosophy of Religion and Ethics**

**7062/1**

**Tuesday 2 June 2020**

**Morning**

**Time allowed: 3 hours**

**For this paper you must have:**  
• **an AQA 16-page answer book.**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- **Use black ink or black ball-point pen.**
- **Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The PAPER REFERENCE is 7062/1.**
- **Answer:**
  - **BOTH two-part questions from SECTION A**
  - **BOTH two-part questions from SECTION B.**
- **Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.**

## **INFORMATION**

- **The marks for questions are shown in brackets.**
- **The maximum mark for this paper is 100.**
- **In each two-part question in SECTIONS A and B, the first part tests your knowledge and understanding, while the second part tests your skills of analysis and evaluation.**
- **You will be marked on your ability to:**
  - **use good English**
  - **organise information clearly**
  - **use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.**

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**SECTION A: PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION**

**Answer BOTH questions in this section.  
Each question has two parts.**

**QUESTION 1**

**01 . 1** Examine criticisms of the cosmological argument made by Hume and Russell.  
[10 marks]

**AND**

**01 . 2** 'The problem of evil cannot be solved.'  
Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

**QUESTION 2**

**02 . 1** Examine Descartes' argument for the existence of the soul. [10 marks]

**AND**

**02 . 2** 'Descartes fails to prove the existence of the soul.'  
Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

**SECTION B: ETHICS AND RELIGION**

**Answer BOTH questions in this section.  
Each question has two parts.**

**QUESTION 3**

**03 . 1** Examine why followers of natural moral law and situation ethics might reach different decisions on moral issues. [10 marks]

**AND**

**03 . 2** 'Natural moral law solves the moral problems of abortion.'

Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

**QUESTION 4**

**04 . 1** Examine the strengths and weaknesses of Divine Command Theory. [10 marks]

**AND**

**04 . 2** 'The ethical theories of Bentham and Kant are not consistent with religious moral decision making.'

Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

**END OF QUESTIONS**

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