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SPANISH WRITING (EXTENDED)

PAPER 8 8020/8

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BAHAMAS GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your school number, candidate number, surname and initials in the spaces at the top of this page.

Attempt **BOTH** questions. Write your answers, in **SPANISH**, on the question paper only. You are expected to write approximately 100 words for the first question and 150 words for the second question.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks available for each question is shown in brackets [] at the end of each question.

There is **NO SECTION 1** on this paper.

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Section 2	
Section 3	
TOTAL	

This question paper consists of 5 printed pages and 3 blank pages.

SECTION 2

EITHER

A. You recently spent a day at a school in Barcelona, Spain. Write a letter of about **100 words**, in **SPANISH**, to your Mexican penfriend. You must include the following information:

- the name of the school and where it is located
- details about the school (e.g. subjects, teachers, facilities)
- what you like and dislike about the school
- a description of something you did/saw there
- 2 details about the university you are going to attend next year

OR

B. You are planning your summer trip. Write a letter of about **100 words**, in **SPANISH**, to your Peruvian penfriend. You must include the following details:

- where you went last summer and what you did there
- where and when you want to travel this year
- what you like about the place you plan to visit
- where you are going to stay and why
- what you want to do during your trip

Total marks [20]

SECTION 3

EITHER

A. You have just completed your work experience week in your chosen field. Write a letter of about **150 words**, in **SPANISH**, to your Cuban friend, telling him/her about your experience. Be sure to include the following details:

- a description of the place where you worked
- what you did during your work day (your responsibilities etc.)
- a special friend you met
- what you liked and disliked about the job
- what job you would like to have in the future and why

OR

B. You recently attended a family reunion held on a family island. Write a letter of about **150 words**, in **SPANISH**, to your Puerto Rican penfriend, telling him/her about the event. You must mention the following points:

- details of the trip to the island
- a description of the people with whom you stayed
- what you enjoyed about the reunion and why
- why you missed your flight home
- how long you had to wait for the next flight and how you passed the time

Total marks [30]