FANLING LUTHERAN SECONDARY SCHOOL

2017 - 2018 S6 Mock Examination

BUSINESS, ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL STUDIES PAPER 1

Marking Scheme

SECTION A

1. A 11. B 21. A

2. B 12. C 22. B

3. A 13. C 23. A

4. C 14. B 24. B

5. C 15. A 25. A

6. C 16. D 26. C

7. D 17. D 27. B

8. D 18. B 28. D

9. B 19. C 29. A

10. C 20. D 30. D

SECTION B (30 marks) Short Questions

Part 1 (20 marks) Answer ALL questions in this part.

- 1. (a) His unethical practice will harm the reputation of his business.
 - Customers will lose confidence in his food.
 - the company's sales and prospects will be affected in the long run.
 - The affected customers may file a compensation claim against him.
 - (b) Employees
 - Suppliers
 - Creditors
 - The government
 - The community and society

(6 marks)

2 (a)

Ruby Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2017

	\$	\$
Non-current assets		
Premises		1,000,000
Current assets		
Inventory	128,135	
Trade receivables	66,360	
Cash at bank	13,590	
	208,085	
Less Current liabilities:		
Bank loan	100,000	
Trade payables	29,590	
	129,590	
Net current assets		78,495
		1,078,495
Financed by:		
Capital		
Balance as at 1 July 2016		958,650
Add Net profit for the year (balancing figure)		199,845
		1,158,495
Less Drawings		80,000
		1,078,495

(b)	Quick ratio = $[(\$13,590 + \$66,360) \div (\$100,000 + \$29,590)] : 1$	
	= 0.62 : 1	

(7 marks)

- 3. (a) The stock price of the hotel group will drop.
 - the increase in interest rates means that the hotel group needs to pay more interest.
 - This will increase the group's operating costs and reduce its profits
 - (b) The amount that Keith can withdraw a year from now

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= $50,000 \times (1 + 4.5\%) \times (1 + 5.5\%)
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= \$55,124

(7 marks)

Part 2 (10 marks) Answer ONE question in this part.

4. (a) (i) Current ratio = $[(\$2,500,550 - \$1,888,390) \div (\$675,800 - \$200,000)] : 1$

= 1.29 : 1

(ii) Return on capital employed

$$= $324,750 \div {[$1,500,000 + ($1,500,000 + $324,750)] \div 2} \times 100\%$$

= 19.54%

- (b) job automation
 - he can use a digital menu so that customers can directly order food.
 - he can use a self-service ordering machine.
 - he can use robots to deliver dishes to customers.
 - he can introduce an automatic cooking machine to reduce the chefs' workload.

Encourage customers to participate in the service delivery process.

- he can rearrange the restaurant's facility layout to facilitate self-service operations.
- he can set up a self-service area (e.g., salad bar)
- he can set up a counter for pickup delivery. This can reduce the waiters' workload.

(10 marks)

5. (a) Situation (1):

- Under the historical cost principle, the assets of a firm are to be valued at their original cost of purchase or cost of production.
- Any changes in their market value should be ignored.
- the furniture should still be valued at its purchase cost of \$50,000 instead of its
 current market value of \$80,000.

Situation (2):

- Under the accrual concept, the expenses are to be recognised when incurred and not when money is paid.
- Mary's salary of \$20,000 for June 2017 should be included in the income statement for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (b) Leo can enjoy limited liability and can thus avoid the loss of his personal assets.
 - A limited company is a separate legal entity. The company's future is not threatened by the illness or death of Leo.
 - As a private limited company, Leo will find it easier to raise capital.
 - Banks are more likely to make loans to limited companies.
 - The business can operate on a larger scale since it has more sources of capital.
 - The separation of ownership and management can improve the company's management and efficiency.

(10 marks)