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**Paper 3A Contract**

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- **Questions should be answered in continuous prose. Give reasoned answers. Where appropriate, make reference to cases, statutes and examples.**

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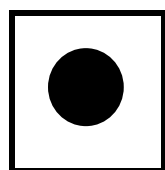


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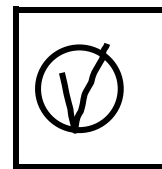
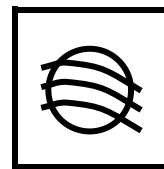
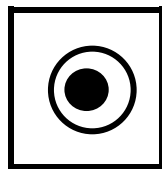
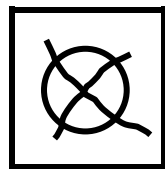
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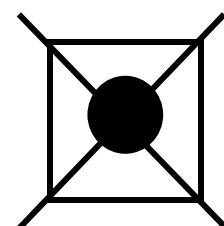
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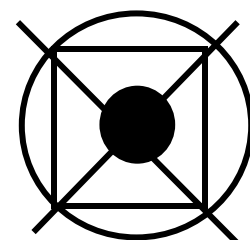
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**Select the TRUE statement about misrepresentation in the Law of Contract. [1 mark]**

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**A A false statement can be misrepresentation even if it is not the only factor which induces the claimant to make the contract.**

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**B A fraudulent misrepresentation immediately brings the contract to an end.**

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**C Rescission is not available as a remedy for an innocent misrepresentation.**

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**D Silence can never amount to a misrepresentation.**

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**Select the FALSE statement about the rules of contract. [1 mark]**

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**A A contract is not necessarily terminated by a party's breach of its terms.**

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**B A party's performance of a contract will be a breach only if it was negligent.**

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**C Parties can agree to terminate the contract without performing all of their obligations.**

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**D There can be more than two parties to a contract.**

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**Select the FALSE statement about the rule of law. [1 mark]**

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**A As far as possible, the law should apply equally to all citizens.**

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**B Citizens should be given as much access to the courts as is necessary.**

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**C Public officials should be given maximum freedom to make decisions affecting the legal rights of citizens.**

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**D The law should be written in language which is clear and accurate.**

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**Select the TRUE statement about the independence of the judiciary. [1 mark]**

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**A High Court judges should take advice from a government minister when interpreting a statute.**

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**B Judges cannot be prosecuted for committing criminal offences.**

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**C Judges in superior courts cannot easily be removed from office.**

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**D Judicial independence is not considered to be important for judges in lower courts.**



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**Select the FALSE statement about delegated legislation. [1 mark]**

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**A It can be introduced to deal with emergency situations.**

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**B It is generally well publicised.**

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**C It often saves time in law-making.**

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**D It permits contributions from experts.**

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**Explain TWO characteristics of the common law as a source of law and provide an example to illustrate ONE of those characteristics. [5 marks]**

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**Leah saw a car she wanted to buy. Kara, Leah's aunt, promised to buy the car for Leah if Leah passed her university examinations. Leah succeeded in passing the examinations, but Kara refused to keep her promise.**

**With regard to intention to create legal relations in contract, suggest why a court might decide that Kara was not obliged to buy the car for Leah. [5 marks]**

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**Matt was an electrician and his neighbour, Nirmal, was a builder. Nirmal sometimes employed Matt to work for him on building sites. Additionally, they sometimes helped each other out by doing work on each other's houses. Whilst Nirmal was away for a week, there was a problem with electrical installations in his house, which Matt fixed. When Nirmal returned, he learned that Matt needed repairs to a wall of his house. Nirmal told Matt that he would do the repairs because of the electrical work that Matt had just done for him. However, Nirmal did not do the repairs and other builders quoted £700 to do them.**



**Assume that there was an intention to create legal relations between Matt and Nirmal. With regard to the issue of consideration, advise Matt on whether he has any rights and remedies against Nirmal in connection with the repairs to the wall of his house. [10 marks]**

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**In Question 09 you are required to provide an extended answer which shows a clear, logical and sustained line of reasoning leading to a valid conclusion.**

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**Examine the suggestion that the law has an important role to play in balancing conflicting interests. Discuss the extent to which this role is evident in the context of the Law of Contract.**

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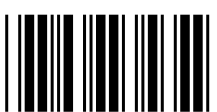
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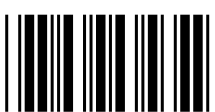
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**In Question 10 you are required to provide an extended answer which shows a clear, logical and sustained line of reasoning leading to a valid conclusion.**

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**Ola collected expensive watches. She told Paul that she would pay him £2000 if he succeeded in introducing her to a person who would sell her a particular kind of watch. Only a few examples of the watch still existed. Paul spent time and effort and paid out £500 trying to find a seller. He eventually succeeded but had not yet informed Ola. Before Paul could do so, Raheem, Ola's partner, told Paul that Ola had already found a seller of that particular kind of watch herself. Therefore, she would no longer need Paul's help.**



**Paul bought a 'slim-fit' shirt costing £200 from a store, Shirtails. A week later, he carefully followed the washing instructions after he had worn it for the first time. He then discovered that the shirt had shrunk in the wash and would no longer fit him. He immediately took the shirt back to Shirtails. They informed Paul that there was nothing that they could do because the receipt clearly stated that no complaints about clothes could be accepted once they had been washed or dry-cleaned.**

**Consider whether Paul has any rights and remedies against Ola in connection with his efforts to introduce her to a seller of the particular kind of watch. Consider what rights and remedies Paul has against Shirtails in connection with the shirt. [30 marks]**

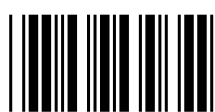
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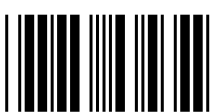
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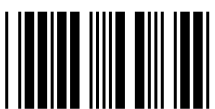


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**In Question 11 you are required to provide an extended answer which shows a clear, logical and sustained line of reasoning leading to a valid conclusion.**

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**Tess bought a year's supply of a weekly sports magazine from the publisher. She then paid Vic, who had a delivery business, £60 in total to deliver the magazine to her each week during the year. Vic delivered the sports magazine on time in the first two weeks but in the following six weeks it was always late, usually by as much as a week. This was because there were persistent errors in Vic's delivery list.**

**Tess also paid £400 to Will for a ticket to attend a set of 10 events introducing 'Punchball', a newly established, violent contact sport. Punchball had attracted a**





**lot of public criticism, including calls for it to be banned. After Tess had attended two of the Punchball events organised by Will, legislation was passed which made it an offence to participate in or promote Punchball in any way. Will reluctantly informed Tess that there would be no further events for her to attend.**

**Consider the rights and remedies of Tess against Vic in connection with the contract for delivery of the sports magazine. Consider the rights and remedies of Tess and Will in connection with the contract to attend the Punchball events.**

**Assess the extent to which justice may have been achieved by application of the rules concerning the rights and remedies of Tess and Will against each other.**

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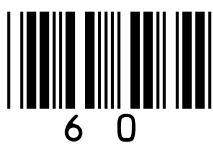
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