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English (P&C) Mock - 4

MCQ'S

Part - I

Similar		Opposite	
1)	Loquacious (d)	1.	Coerce (c)
2)	Exuberant (a)	2.	Verbose (d)
3)	Gruesome (c)	3.	Amicable (a)
4)	Stain (c)	4.	Gentle (c)
5)	Rage (c)	5.	Acquiescent (b)
6)	Safe (d)	6.	Euphonious (d)
7)	Crabbed (a)	7.	Heroic (b)
8)	Gloomy (a)	8.	Applaud (a)
9)	Pliant (b)	9.	Cultivation (c)
10)	Endorse (b)	10.	Corrupt (a)

Part - II

Qno-7 - Translation

If a Professor of Urdu Language challenges that he can deliver in-depth analysis of Ghalib's verses, of course he is displaying his intellectual prowess. But if he is challenged to produce a verse like Ghalib, he would be at a loss. Because understanding and composition belongs to two different realms. Understanding is a product of intellect whereas, composing is a result of creative intuition and inspiration. The stature of Ghalib's poetry is ^{not the outcome of} ~~based on~~ ~~not~~ merely through study or hard work but reflection of exceptional intellect, feeling, and divine grace. That is the sole

reason His verses ^{affects heart} have the same impact way as they did in his own time.

Qno. 6 - Sentences (Any five)

1) A fish out of water:

At the formal dinner Anwar looked like a fish out of water.

2) To give the devil his due:

Although Ahmed did not liked Ali but during the even he had to give the devil his due, as he worked hard.

3) Go to the wall:

Many small businesses went to the wall during recession.

4) To play truant:

Ali and his group members played truant and went to cinema instead of school.

5) On pins and needles:

Ayesha was on pins and needles waiting for the exam results.

Ques (a) Punctuation

The prisoner, looked through the narrow window, and said, "They call this justice? yet, I have never been heard," the guard, replied softly. Orders are orders Sir!, freedom isn't decided here.

A journalist, outside, shouted, "The Minister claimed no one is above the law." But who

decides, what law means?, when truth is behind bars," the cell fell silent. The prisoner, smiled faintly and whispered, "They can cage a man, but not his conviction."

Qro-5(b)
Re-write sentences

- 1) Tehmina applied to a bank for a loan.
 - 2) She died due to starvation.
 - 3) We saw a movie at the theatre.
 - 4) We all sat around the dinner table.
 - 5) You can go as you have done your homework.
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Qro-4

Sentence Correction

- 1) The bag was so heavy that I could not lift it.
- 2) She advised me to not point fingers at anyone.
- 3) Ahsan neither wants to study, nor wants a job.
- 4) None of the two applicants had a suitable qualifications.
- 5) An innings is one of the divisions of match during that one team takes their turn to bat.

Qro-3

Comprehension

(1)

Because they were tired of his constant success, and decided to trick him into humiliation. But

the outcome shocked his rivals, due to miner's strike there was shortage of coal and Dexter sold his entire cargo.

(2)

Miner's Strike had stopped local production of coal. As Dexter was already on his way there that created ^{that} opportunity for him to sell his coal cargo due to shortage of coal.

(3)

Dexter had a reputation as a fool but due to his luck that brought him the reputation of intelligent as well. The author implied that when you underestimate someone and when they become successful they are termed as intelligent.

(4)

Dexter's repeated success was the proof he did not took the words as mockery

but as business ideas and experimented with them which eventually brought him success.

(5)

Dexter had a reputation of being a fool. But when he turned those mockery ideas into successful business ideas, due to his success people started referring him as intelligent. So, it can be inferred as human perception takes success as form of intelligence.

Qno-2 Precis

Title : The Dark Side of
Renewable Energy Sources

Precis :

The people sees renewable energy as humanity's saviour. of planetary healing. But irrespective of these claims it is harming the planet.

Renewable energy sources requires costly rare-earth minerals, extracted through intensive-energy and non-ecological friendly ways.

Vast tracts of land in many countries have become uninhabitable for the sources of renewable energy. Electric vehicles created for eco-friendly environment, contributes to electronic waste catastrophe.

Wind and solar farms requires sources cannot be recycled. The people's way of promoting "green labels" has turned saving the planet need into marketing campaign. The planet is not being healed through renewable energy sources, but being exploited by different ways.