

## Q. NO. 2

## Precis

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write more meaningful phrases

Title: 1- Renewable Energy is ruining the environment rather than healing it.  
 2- Green energy does not reinforce healthy environment.

People think that renewable energy is the best substitute to fossil fuels and it promotes healthy environment where the state promises 'green' slogans frequently. But in fact, green energy is causing the environment in the technological advancements, through fossil fuel mining, destructive for ecology. Many regions have been spotted for the pursuit of sustainable development. The environment pays a heavy cost for the manufacturers of green energy as their access, production process, maintenance and infrastructure result in more carbon emissions. Besides, contributing to the toxic wastage and pollution. The sustainability requires efficiency & systematic humility rather than fabricating 'green' labels which have transformed true environmentalism into materialism. It is sure that green energy efforts is not healing the environment but rather ruining it behind the sophistry of progress. (words - 130)

#### Q.4 Correct any five -

1. We accepted their offer on the grounds that something is better than nothing. X
2. Use one capful of the product in half a bowl of water.
3. The bag was so heavy that I could hardly lift.
4. She advised me never to point fingers to anyone.
5. Ahsan neither wants to study nor wants a job. ~~or~~ Ahsan doesn't want to study, nor does he want a job.
6. Neither of the two applicants had suitable qualifications.

Qs. Punctuate the Passage: (a)

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."

Q5. Blanks (only five) (b)  
Prepositions (only five) (b)

- (i) Tehmina applied in a bank for a loan
- (ii) She died out of starvation.
- (iii) Look at the left and you will see our destruction
- (iv) We all sat around the dinner table.
- (v) I pushed forward the crowd.
- (vi) You can go as you have done your homework.

Q.6. Sentences -

1- I attended a charity lunch where everyone but I found no acquaintance there; I felt like a fish out of water.

### Q.7. Translation:

If an Urdu professor claims that he understands Ghalib's Kalaam (poetry) so well and can talk about its artistic merits in a satisfying manner, then he is certainly showing off his academic prowess, but if he is asked to say a poem like Ghalib's, he will be helpless. Because understanding and creation are two different worlds ~~for~~.

~~Understanding is the product of sense / intellect, while creation is the result of intuition and inspiration. The status that was attained by Ghalib, was Ghalib achieved was not merely due to study or hard work, but it was a manifestation of extraordinary intelligence, empathy and divine grace. Such is the reason~~

~~that his poetry affects the hearts in the same way as it used to do in the past.~~

<sup>over</sup>  
<sup>and</sup>  
<sup>centuries</sup>

## Q.2 Passage

### Ans + Answer - 1

Timothy Dexter was a man with little formal education and a ~~huge~~ confidence which led him make <sup>such</sup> decisions that constantly earned him a fortune. His rivals became ~~exhausted~~ tired of his success. Hence, in order to humiliate ~~him~~ and cause him a loss, they advised him to ship coal to Newcastle. But, ~~due~~ to his luck, when his ship reached England, there was a coal shortage due to miners' strike. Thus Det Dexter's coal ~~etc~~ earned him a massive profit again.

### Answer - 2

The unexpected event in England that transformed Dexter's apparently foolish coal venture into a profitable success was the miners' ~~strike~~ sudden strike, which had stopped local production, creating a sudden coal shortage. Hence, Dexter's cargo was sold for a massive profit ~~fortunately~~.