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Part 7

Directions: In this part, you will read a selection of texts, such as magazine and newspaper articles, letters, and advertisements. Each text is followed by several questions. Select the best answer for each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

Questions 153 ~ 154 refer to the following advertisement.

Our Biggest Clearance Sale Ever!

How low can we go?

How about **20% - 80% OFF** books, toys, and clothing?

For a limited time, get **ENORMOUS SAVINGS** on all kinds of name-brand kids stuff!

153. What is the advertisement about?

- (A) A car sale
- (B) A furniture sale
- (C) A property sale
- (D) A clothing sale

154. Which item is NOT included in the event?

- (A) Toys
- (B) Books
- (C) Appliances
- (D) Kid's clothing

Questions 155 ~ 157 refer to the following notice.

Spring Art Exhibition: Work of Tampa Artists with Disabilities

USC College of Public Health

2007-07-14 at 13301 Bruce B Downs Blvd, MHC 1129, Tampa.

Included in the exhibit are several pieces from USC Fine Arts Student Jessica Joy Goldberg. Now in her last semester at USC, Jessica was recently selected as a winner of the national art competition, "Destination Anywhere," which selected works from 15 award-winning young artists with disabilities. It was sponsored by American Art Association and MK of America Inc.

Her winning work is part of a touring exhibit that has been on display at The Smithsonian Institution, and now on at the Ohio Art Museum of the Miami University.

155. What can be inferred about the event?

- (A) It is for college students.
- (B) Many renowned artists will attend.
- (C) It is sponsored by the College of Public Health.
- (D) Artists with disabilities will display their work.

156. What is true about Jessica?

- (A) She graduated the college last year.
- (B) She won a national award.
- (C) She will be teaching an art class.
- (D) She was hired by MK of America Inc.

157. Where is Jessica's work now on display?

- (A) At the USC College of Public Health
- (B) At the Ohio Art Museum
- (C) At the American Art Association
- (D) At the company lounge

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Questions 158 ~ 160 refer to the following article.

Historic Bedford Springs Hotel to reopen in May

BEDFORD, Pa. – The historic Bedford Springs Hotel is set to reopen on Memorial Day after undergoing nearly two years of renovations costing \$100 million.

Owners are installing modern conveniences such as flat-screen TVs, wireless Internet access and a state-of-the-art business center, while preserving the original character of the facility's 10 buildings. "It will be an unusual blend of the glories of days gone by and ultra-modern conveniences," said Mr. Winston, general manager. "That's the challenge – when the property was constructed, the requirements of electricity and heating/ventilation were very different. There was no air conditioning."

Dr. John Anderson bought the property in 1796 after discovering natural mineral springs on the grounds. He built bath houses for his patients and the resort's popularity soared in the 1800s.

The Springs served as the summer White House for James Buchanan, and other presidents also stayed there. Owners say rooms of the 216-room will start at \$250 a night. They hope to garner a 4.5- to 5-diamond rating from the American Automobile Association.

158. What is NOT mentioned as new conveniences?

- (A) Videoconference facilities
- (B) Flat-screen TV
- (C) Business center
- (D) Wireless Internet access

159. What is the reason for Dr. John Anderson to have bought the land?

- (A) The land was popular.
- (B) The previous owner offered a discounted rate.
- (C) He found mineral springs.
- (D) The government offered a tax incentive.

160. What is NOT true about the hotel?

- (A) It has 216 rooms.
- (B) It served as a temporary presidential office.
- (C) It includes bath houses for patients.
- (D) It is a 5-diamond rated hotel.

Questions 161 ~ 163 refer to the following notice.

Price Terms
Important Price Information

Unless otherwise expressly noted, all prices are per person, based on double occupancy of the stateroom and are quoted in U.S. dollars and include meals and beverages.

Alliance Cruises Inc. reserves the right to increase its prices without prior notice; however, if you have confirmed your booking with a deposit, or if you have already made your final payment, your price will be protected.

Alliance Cruises separately assesses airport facility charges and certain departure taxes and other taxes/fees that are implemented by various governments or quasi-governmental bodies.

161. What is NOT true about the prices?

- (A) Prices are per person.
- (B) Prices are based on single occupancy.
- (C) Prices are subject to change by the company.
- (D) Prices are quoted in U.S. dollars.

162. In which case can the company not change the price?

- (A) When a customer already confirmed a reservation.
- (B) When a customer already paid the price in full.
- (C) When a customer paid government taxes.
- (D) When a customer paid the price in U.S. dollars.

163. Which of the following is included in the price?

- (A) Airport facility charges
- (B) Government taxes
- (C) Departure taxes
- (D) Meals and beverages

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Questions 164 ~ 165 refer to the following fax.

<p>FAX Mike Holland Fax: 502-327-4400 Total: 1 page</p>	<p>E*Com Easy Communications Company 810 7th Avenue, New York Tel: 917-286-3100 Fax: 917-286-3102</p> <p>August 20, 2006</p>
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Dear Mike,

Thank you for your fax.
I am sorry to hear that your customer has experienced a problem with our wireless microphone.
We do our best to ensure that all products we produce leave our factory in perfect condition, but unfortunately defects sometimes occur. Through thorough investigation, we found a problem with the transmitter. We already sent a replacement to you with a free wireless headset for you to compensate your customer for the inconvenience. Please return the defective model with the courier.
Sorry for the inconvenience and thank you for your business with E*Com.

Regards,
James Hennessey

164. Which of the following is true?

- (A) Mike Holland previously sent a fax to E*Com.
- (B) Mike Holland has bought the defective model.
- (C) James Hennessey is working for Mike Holland.
- (D) A customer complained a problem to E*Com.

165. What has been sent with a replacement?

- (A) A gift certificate
- (B) A discount coupon
- (C) A headset
- (D) A letter

Questions 166 ~ 168 refer to the following article.

Pasadena Driver Exam Station Announces Schedule Change

Officials with the state's Motor Vehicle Division today announced a change in hours at the Pasadena driver exam station. The Pasadena station is typically open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Effective immediately, until further notice, it will be open Thursdays and Fridays only.

- * Thursdays will be dedicated to road testing, so other services will not be available at the office.
- * Customers need to schedule appointments for road testing, motorcycle skills testing and commercial tests. The number to call is 454-3149.
- * The office will be open on Fridays from 8:15-12:30 for all other services on a drop-in basis.

Dean Roberts, MVD administrator, said the change is temporary.

"We apologize for any inconvenience," Roberts said, "and we appreciate the patience of our customers."

For other information about driver testing, including a full schedule for driver exam stations, drivers can visit the Department of Transportation website.

166. On which day is the test center usually open?

- (A) Thursdays and Fridays only
- (B) Thursdays only
- (C) Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays
- (D) Fridays only

167. Which service is available on Thursdays?

- (A) Medical checkup
- (B) License renewals
- (C) Written tests
- (D) Road testing

168. What is advised for customers wanting road testing to do?

- (A) They should contact Mr. Dean Roberts.
- (B) They should visit the station first.
- (C) They should make appointments.
- (D) They should submit a request form.

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Questions 169 ~ 171 refer to the following form.

[Recalls]

Easy-Bake Ovens

Company: Easy-Bake, a division of Hasbro Inc.

Why? Young children can insert their hands into the oven's opening and get their hands or fingers caught, posing an entrapment and burn hazard.

What models? The purple and pink plastic oven resembles a kitchen range with four burners on top and a front-loading oven. "Easy-Bake" is printed on the front of the oven. Model number 65805 and "Hasbro" are stamped into the plastic on the back of the oven. The Easy-Bake Oven is an electric toy and is not recommended for children younger than 8. Ovens sold before May are not included.

Where sold? Toys R Us, Wal-Mart, Target, KB Toys and other retailers.

What to do? Contact Easy-Bake between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays for a free retrofit kit with consumer warning.

For information: Toll-free 1-800-601-8418; www.easybake.com.

169. Why is the product being recalled?

- (A) It has manufacturing defect.
- (B) It can cause harm to users.
- (C) It has not been recommended for children.
- (D) It contains harmful components.

170. What is true about the product?

- (A) It is a home appliance.
- (B) It is not recommended up to seven-year-old children.
- (C) It has been heavily discounted.
- (D) It can be only bought at franchise stores.

171. Why are customers advised to contact the company?

- (A) To verify eligibility for the recall
- (B) To get a refund
- (C) To report any injury by the product
- (D) To receive a free kit