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PART 1

- 1 (A) He is operating a computer.
(B) He is inspecting an item for sale.
(C) He is looking through some files.
(D) He is dressed formally.
- 2 (A) He is mopping the floor.
(B) He is lifting a suitcase.
(C) He is bending over the bag.
(D) He is unpacking a trunk.
- 3 (A) A microphone has been set up on a stage.
(B) Some equipment has been arranged in a studio.
(C) A man is turning up the volume.
(D) A seat is being adjusted.
- 4 (A) Some papers are scattered under the table.
(B) The file folders are being placed on the desk.
(C) Most of the bookcases are empty.
(D) The area is stocked with many office supplies.
- 5 (A) Waves are crashing on the shore.
(B) Some people are swimming in the ocean.
(C) A boat is moving through the water.
(D) The rocks rise above the water.
- 6 (A) The suspension bridge has been built over the water.
(B) A bridge spans the stream.
(C) Railing is being installed along the bridge.
(D) People are walking toward an archway.
- 7 (A) A man is addressing the audience.
(B) All of the seats are occupied.
(C) A man is delivering a speech outdoors.
(D) The microphone is being adjusted.
- 8 (A) They are participating in a competition.
(B) They are moving down the slope.
(C) They are climbing a mountain.
(D) They are wearing backpacks.
- 9 (A) A floor is being illuminated by an electric light.
(B) The cables are hanging from the ceiling.
(C) Light is streaming in through the window.
(D) The room is being cleaned.
- 10 (A) A woman is pouring water into a cup.
(B) Some branches have fallen onto the grass.
(C) A tent is being erected.
(D) Liquid is being poured into a container.

PART 2

- 11 Can I borrow your laptop computer?
(A) Sorry, I'm still using it.
(B) I can go with you.
(C) Of course, I'll lend you some money.
- 12 When did you get back from your business trip?
(A) No, I prefer economy class.
(B) From Chicago.
(C) A couple of weeks ago.
- 13 How did you like the atmosphere?
(A) It isn't like that.
(B) It was pretty good.
(C) One of my friends told me.



- 14 Is the manual also available in German?
(A) No, I'm from France.
(B) I think so.
(C) Actually, I'm not available at the moment.
- 15 Are you going to the plant next week?
(A) Let me check my calendar.
(B) Yes, she plans to.
(C) I think it's going well.
- 16 Would you like me to send my resume to you by email or post?
(A) No, I haven't completed it yet.
(B) Either would be fine.
(C) For a secretary position.
- 17 Why did you leave the office so early?
(A) Because I left it at home.
(B) I used to live near here.
(C) I had a dental appointment.
- 18 Would you like to go over this quarterly report now?
(A) Yes, I am.
(B) I'd be pleased to.
(C) It was very informative.
- 19 What should I do with these boxes of supplies?
(A) Frankly, I'm a little surprised.
(B) They contain a lot of paper.
(C) Store them in the warehouse.
- 20 I think I saw you on 5th Avenue.
(A) That's where I live.
(B) I didn't see him either.
(C) On April 5th.
- 21 How was the musical yesterday?
(A) It was a lot better than expected.
(B) I went there with my colleague last night.
(C) I'm not feeling well.
- 22 Why has the workshop been postponed?
(A) It's being held in the post office.
(B) No, but I'm still working on it.
(C) The instructor had a family emergency.
- 23 When do you want me to visit your office, today or tomorrow?
(A) The earlier, the better.
(B) It's located on 3rd street.
(C) I'm not sure whether he is available today.
- 24 Which shirt do you think goes well with these pants?
(A) So far, so good.
(B) The one on the top shelf.
(C) Well, I don't get along with him.
- 25 Do you happen to know how to get in touch with John?
(A) Something urgent happened.
(B) Here is his business card.
(C) You've got the wrong number.
- 26 Where should this new cabinet go?
(A) From the online store.
(B) Yes, I already knew that.
(C) In the manager's office.
- 27 Please let me know when you run out of paper.
(A) The copier doesn't work properly.
(B) Sure thing.
(C) It's still out of stock.
- 28 Could you tell me what the conference was mainly about?
(A) I'd appreciate it.
(B) That's not the main reason.
(C) Ms. Taylor should know the details.
- 29 I suppose you can buy it at a lower price.
(A) Where would you recommend?
(B) To hire additional staff.
(C) By the end of the month.

W: Great. Why don't we meet at 5 pm so that we can go for a bite to eat? I know a good French restaurant near Hollywood Cinema.

47-49 refer to the following conversation.

W: Brian, have you heard about the city's new plan to build an overpass on Jefferson Road?

M: Yes, I saw the morning news on TV today and it said the proposal was approved by the city council yesterday. I hope it will alleviate traffic congestion downtown by giving motorists more alternatives.

W: That's what the mayor and other city officials expect. However, some citizens are concerned about the possibility that it might have a bad effect on the landscape in the downtown area.

M: In addition, it might worsen the area's traffic during the construction period, don't you think?

50-52 refer to the following conversation.

M: I heard your office will be moving to a new building on Robson Street soon. Is that true?

W: Yes, it is. We've already got everything packed and the movers will take all the office supplies and equipment to the new office building tomorrow.

M: Actually, a former colleague of mine told me about it when we had lunch together yesterday. I think it's good for you. You always wanted to move to a bigger office building. Is there anything that I can do for you?

W: Well, we're thinking of purchasing new office chairs and I think you could help us find a great deal. You used to work as a sales clerk at a big furniture store, right?

53-55 refer to the following conversation.

W: It looks like this copier isn't working properly. Although I pressed this green button to copy these handouts, nothing came out. I checked the manual thoroughly but I don't know what's wrong with it.

M: Have you checked if it's plugged in?

W: Of course. It's definitely plugged in and there's enough paper in the tray. The problem is that I have an important meeting with prospective clients at 2 pm and I really need to make copies for them.

M: In that case, you should call the maintenance office immediately. If it is not fixed in time, you'd better use the one in the accounting office on the second floor.

56-58 refer to the following conversation.

W: Dave, have you been to the bookstore across the street lately? It has been completely renovated and it looks like a new store.

M: I didn't know that. Last time I went there, I had difficulty in locating the book I wanted. I thought it should be set up better.

W: Right. Many customers complained about it, which led to the dramatic drop in profits. That's why they decided to improve their facilities and extend their hours. In addition, they started a blowout sale last week.

M: That's good. I need to buy a book on marketing strategies for my class this semester. I think I should stop by there on my way home. Shall we go together?

59-61 refer to the following conversation.

M: Have you met our new marketing manager? I heard he got transferred from our Chicago branch and started work here last Monday.

W: Yes, I saw Mr. Wang in the staff meeting on Friday for the first time. He looked very energetic and organized. In particular, I liked the way he developed our new marketing strategies. He encouraged participants to share their ideas in an informal and inviting way.

M: It sounds like he has a constructive approach. I hope he will bring us more enthusiasm and help us increase our profits in the end.

W: That's exactly what I want from him. By the way, there is another meeting that he is supposed to preside over on Tuesday. You'll be there, won't you?

your report, you paid 150 dollars for dinner with clients but I couldn't find any relevant receipts. Also, the hotel receipt doesn't match the amount on the report. Please call my office at 610-1100 so that I can expedite your request. Thank you.

80-82 refer to the following advertisement.

Are you looking for a convenient and cozy place in the downtown area? If you want a perfect apartment for your family, look no further than Pacific Hill, which overlooks the harbor. These apartments are within walking distance to Queen Street shopping district and Robinson Park, which attracts an estimated two million visitors every year. Recently, we repainted the walls and upgraded the kitchens with new high-end appliances. What's more, all residents have free access to the wireless Internet service inside the building. If you'd like a tour, don't hesitate to call James Decker at 600-1200. Thank you.

83-85 refer to the following talk.

Welcome to our 10th annual Environment Conservation Forum here at Mega Dream Hotel. I'm so thrilled to have participants from more than 20 countries this year. First of all, we have invited Dr. James Donald as our keynote speaker. He is well known in the field of environmental engineering and even won the Green Planet award last year. He will share his knowledge about the hazards of carbon dioxide with us later. Throughout the week, there will be a number of informative lectures and discussions that might interest you as well. Please refer to the complete schedule in the conference packet you received when you checked in at the reception desk.

86-88 refer to the following announcement.

Before we move onto the next agenda, I'd like to remind you that the inspectors from the fire department will visit our manufacturing plant tomorrow for the annual safety inspection. As managers, you are responsible for the section you are assigned to. It's essential for us to receive a perfect report. Please make sure that everything is working safely before you leave work today. Also, I'd like each of you to turn in a status report to me by the end of the day.

Now, Mr. Jennings will tell us about the quarterly report which includes important sales figures and after that we'll talk about these results.

89-91 refer to the following advertisement.

Are you planning a family reunion or a company event? If so, why not try The Scent of Paris, one of Arizona's most famous French restaurants? We specialize in authentic French dishes like Beef Bourguignon and Pureed Carrot Soup. We have been pleasing our patrons for over 30 years, providing an elegant atmosphere in a relaxed setting. Since Mr. Brian Fabian established this small French restaurant in Tucson, it has steadily grown to become one of the top 10 restaurants in Arizona. If you would like to see our menu, please feel free to visit our website. For reservations, please call us at 500-1000. Don't hesitate to make your day special with us today.

92-94 refer to the following news report.

Good evening, listeners. This is Rebecca Simpson with your local headlines. This morning, Hamilton Construction hosted an annual banquet to raise money for local charity organizations. The banquet was held at the Atlantic Hotel in the past but it was held in the Lincoln Community Center this year due to renovations at the hotel. Fortunately, many celebrities including a famous hockey player, Jim Morgan and a well-known actress, Susan Black participated in the event. Proceeds for this year's event will go to a local orphanage in Little Rock. Here is Tony Jennings with Ryan Kim, the president of Hamilton Construction.

95-97 refer to the following introduction.

Ladies and gentlemen, I'm pleased to introduce our new designer, Jill Robinson to all of you today. Her interest in fashion started when she sold clothes as a sales clerk in a small boutique. After she graduated from London University, she began to work as an assistant designer at Oxford Apparel. Last year, she held a fashion show in Rome featuring her latest works. It turned out to be a hit and she was on many magazines's list of top designers. Even though she is only in her early 30s, her creativity and uniqueness will play