

June 2024 Series P2 (Passenger Transport) Case Study Question/Answer Booklet

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Examination Details:

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Paper No:	PCS0624S	
Date of Examination:	7th June 2024 13:00 - 15:15	

Instructions to the candidate - to be read before the examination.

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

You must have:

- The case study.
- This question/answer booklet.

You may use:

- A calculator.
 A dictionary.
- Any permitted written materials.

Instructions:

- Complete your name below in capital letters and include your date of birth and signature.
- Use black ink.
- Use the case study to answer all the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If you need extra space, use the lined page(s) at the end of this booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Additional paper may be used if required but you must clearly show your name, date of birth and question number(s).
- Answer all the questions.
- Do all calculations and rough work on the following pages. Cross out any work you do not wish
 to have marked.

Information:

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets ().
- This document has 11 pages.
- Assessment material has been prepared in line with legislation current at the time of production.
 Any subsequent changes to legislation have not been taken into account, however, responses that refer to amended legislation will be credited.

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June 2024 P2 Question paper

1 You have been asked to submit proposals to Inbound Education Ltd. regarding possible day trips for their students.

Use the information provided in the case study to calculate whether each of their proposed trips could be completed in a single day while adhering to company policies and IE's requirements.

NOTE

You MUST show all your workings, including driving time, overall working time (shift length) and break times and you MUST state whether or not each trip is possible.		
[15 marks]		

Inbound Education Ltd. have asked for a flat rate per trip to be quoted for all their day trips. The total revenue from all those operated at this flat rate must equal the total that would have been received if each had been priced individually.

IE have decided that if any of the day trips cannot be operated as described in their requirements in the case study, they will reduce the time spent at the destination in order to meet legal requirements.

Use the information in the case study to calculate the following:

NOTES

You **MUST** show all your workings out.

You **MUST** name each cost and give a total for each rounded up to the nearest penny.

(a) Total standing cost per day for one 49-seat coach
[1 mark]
(b) Total running cost per Kilometre for one 49-seat coach
[1 mark]

(c) The total cost of operating each of the proposed trips
[5 marks]
(d) The flat rate to be quoted per trip
[4 marks]

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The	partners have decided to change the business from a partnership to a limited company.
(a)	Outline TWO advantages of changing to a limited company.
	[2 marks]
(b)	Outline TWO unrelated disadvantages of doing so.
	[2 marks]
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(c)	Describe SIX actions in relation to operator licensing that the change to a limited
(-)	company will require. You are NOT required to give form numbers.
	[6 marks]

4.	TT is currently rated 'amber' under the Operator Compliance Risk Score (OCRS) system. You are determined to ensure that this rating does not get worse, and you intend to make changes that will help the company's score return to 'green'.
	You have decided to address the effectiveness of the drivers' daily walkround checks by implementing new procedures and providing additional facilities. You have already bought new personal protective equipment (PPE) for the drivers to use.
(a)	Outline FOUR procedures which you should introduce. to ensure that walkaround checks are being conducted effectively.
	[4 marks]
	[4 marks]
(b)	Give EIGHT additional facilities or resources that TT could provide for its drivers to help them carry out walkaround checks more effectively.

......[8 marks]

5.		revor and Blight are unsure of the purpose of OCRS (Operator Compliance Risk core) and how it works. You are required to assist them in understanding OCRS.	
(a	a)	Give the rolling time period over which OCRS data is collected and applied.	
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(I	o)	State how often an operator's score is updated.	•
(0	c)	Outline the TWO categories of OCRS which together produce the combined scor	
		[2 marl	ks]
(6	d)	Outline THREE possible 'encounters' during which data may be collected for the score.	
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6.	Traffic Commissioners have a number of options which they can take in the event that an operator is found to be in breach of one or more regulations, or if they consider that the operator and/or Transport Manager have lost their good repute.
	Outline FIVE decisions which a Traffic Commissioner may consider in such an event
	[5 marks]

ADDITIONAL ANSWER SPACE

If additional answer space is required, you should use the following lined page(s). The question number(s) must be clearly shown in the margin(s).

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