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Part I Vocabulary (30%)

Direction: Choose the word that best completes the sentence

1. The number of traffic fatalities _____ the 3,000 mark on Friday.
(A) rose (B) topped (C) lifted (D) climbed
2. _____ the tire pressure while referring to your owner's manual.
(A) Look up (B) Check (C) Inspect (D) Investigate
3. Keeping a balanced portfolio of stocks, bonds and cash reserves is a _____ way to reduce various risks.
(A) sensible (B) sensitive (C) sensuous (D) sensitivity
4. Over the past three years, growth has been better in each _____ year.
(A) continuing (B) next (C) successful (D) successive
5. Mr. Reed was voted off the board in May after complaining of the fund's _____.
(A) misfortune (B) mismanagement (C) mismatch (D) misstatement
6. Twenty-two percent of small businesses terminated at least one employee and 34 percent _____ expansion plans.
(A) postured (B) postmarked (C) postpaid (D) postponed
7. Business Development Center offers a program for women _____ entitled "Promoting Opportunities through Networking" from 6 to 9 p.m. at the city library.
(A) businesses (B) corporations (C) entrepreneurs (D) optimists
8. I purchased shares of Jordan Liberman, but the firm filed for bankruptcy and now the shares are _____.
(A) worthless (B) worth (C) worthy (D) worthwhile



9. Thompson Computer Corp. introduced a new line of two laptop computers designed with three ____ parts, permitting the upgrade of any component when technology becomes available.
(A) replace (B) replacing (C) replacement (D) replaceable
10. The two pharmaceutical companies ____ a joint venture in France last year.
(A) left for (B) took off (C) went into (D) embarked on
11. Any correspondent reporting from the region now is ____ the risk of being shot dead.
(A) having (B) running (C) holding (D) committing
12. The charges ____ him include fraud, extortion, and illegally practicing medicine.
(A) against (B) for (C) with (D) through
13. The hotel manager said that he had carried ____ renovations costing \$1.3 million during his 12-year tenure.
(A) out (B) in (C) away (D) back
14. Mr. Bennett was reluctant to describe the reason for his dismissal ____ detail.
(A) for (B) in (C) over (D) at
15. The book was written by Mr. Gross in ____ with a reporter from *Fortune* magazine.
(A) colleague (B) collaboration (C) collapse (D) collegiate

Part II Grammar (40%)

Direction: Choose the word that best completes the sentence

1. To learn Japanese quickly, Janice devoted ____ to studying it daily for a year.
(A) she (B) herself (C) her (D) her own
2. He ____ his little sister ____ him lunch money.
(A) asked; give (B) made; give (C) made; to give (D) made; gave
3. We've ____ a dog ____ about five years.
(A) own; for (B) having; since (C) gotten; in (D) had; for
4. Linus told the reporter that two of them ____ actually met many years ago, but it wasn't until recently that they ____ a soul mate in each other.
(A) have; find (B) had; find (C) had; found (D) have; find



5. I'd thought they might have an argument, but it ended up being just a _____.
(A) fight (B) discussion (C) problem (D) spat
6. By this time next year, we _____ the experiment.
(A) will have started (B) have started (C) will start (D) are starting
7. The advertising agency lost the bid for the contract to their rivals. They _____ prepared more for it.
(A) might have (B) could have (C) should have (D) will have
8. It's better _____ anything than _____ stupid.
(A) not to say; to sound (B) to not say; sounding (C) not saying; sounding
(D) none of the above
9. The teacher is _____ the slow progress of his students.
(A) frustrating (B) frustrate (C) frustrated by (D) frustrated for
10. Nearly _____ the people on the _____ island live below the poverty line.
(A) a half; dense population (B) half of; densely-populated
(C) half; dense-populated (D) one half; population density
11. We have to keep a close eye on the stock market because stock prices fluctuate quite _____.
(A) often (B) always (C) frequent (D) many
12. She saves more money than you because she is _____ you.
(A) more thriftily than (B) thriftier than (C) less wastefully than (D) as thrifty as
13. After nearly a week in bed, I finally _____ my terrible cold.
(A) got (B) got on (C) got over (D) got rid
14. You can't have any dessert _____ you finish all your vegetables and rice.
(A) as long as (B) so that (C) unless (D) in order that
15. To tell you the truth, I wouldn't want to be your business partner _____ you were the richest man in the world!
(A) should (B) could (C) even if (D) even



16. The person to ____ you should speak to is Martha. She's an expert on the Asian market.
(A) which (B) whom (C) who (D) that
17. The ____ wearing the black ____ my boss, not the one wearing the brown hat.
(A) man who's; hat is (B) man whose; hat is (C) man, who's; hat, is (D) man, whose; hat, is
18. Marketing experts had a hard time figuring out ____ the product was so successful.
(A) which (B) what (C) that (D) why
19. Could you please tell me ____?
(A) when to start (B) when start (C) when should I start (D) I should start when
20. According to the news report, one of the teams ____ in the tournament has been disqualified for cheating.
(A) competes (B) has competed (C) is competing (D) competing

Part III Reading Comprehension (30%)

Direction: Read each passage and choose the best answer to each question

Passage A

Ventrus Airlines announced today that Hillman F. Teasdale has been elected Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer by a unanimous vote of the Company's Board of Directors. He succeeds Chairman and CEO John W. Lawrence, who is taking over the CEO position at Marvin-Bavasi motors. The appointment is effective immediately.

Mr. Teasdale is the former Chairman and CEO of Agave, Inc. who has served as Vice Chairman of SigmaAgave Corp. since the two energy companies merged in October 2001. In May 2002, he was named to the additional role of interim Chairman of Generatec Inc., to assist the energy merchant in restoring investor confidence and stabilizing the company's financial position. He is resigning from the positions he holds at SigmaAgave and Genertec to focus exclusively on his duties at Ventrus.

On behalf of the Ventrus board, James J. Reilly, a director who led the nationwide search for a new CEO, said, "Hillman is a forceful, positive executive who is exactly the right person to lead Ventrus at this critical time. He knows how to guide major global companies through difficult transitions with a sharp focus on financial responsibility. He is an extremely hardworking, hands-on executive who knows how to engage employees. He believes that a company is as good as the ambitions its stakeholders share, and he will push



firmly but fairly to achieve the company's goals. He has the reputation and credibility needed to lead Ventrus to economic recovery and a great future.”

Ventrus Airlines operates more than 1,900 flights a day on a route network that spans the globe.

1. What is said regarding the hiring of Hillman F. Teasdale?
 - (A) He was the last person to apply.
 - (B) He will start work in two weeks.
 - (C) He was approved by a unanimous vote.
 - (D) He is replacing a retiring executive.
2. In what area does Hillman F. Teasdale have experience?
 - (A) Managing airline companies
 - (B) Overseeing corporate mergers
 - (C) Negotiating with labor unions
 - (D) Restoring investor confidence
3. Which is not the reason that Hillman F. Teasdale is elected the CEO of Ventrus?
 - (A) his credibility
 - (B) his personality
 - (C) his financial certificate
 - (D) his communication skills

Passage B

Golden Care Facility

With construction scheduled to begin in September, the Golden Care Facility will be on the Plateau soon. Golden Care is designed for seniors with active lifestyles. The community is near the Hilltop Resort, one of the Plateau's finest resorts, with amenities including a world-class golf course.

The Golden Care Facility is backed by the American Association for Retirement Care, a senior living industry leader for more than 20 years.

To learn more, call (412)708-8366, or visit our information center in the Plateau County Shopping Center.

4. When is construction of the Golden Care Facility scheduled to begin?
 - (A) May
 - (B) July
 - (C) September
 - (D) October



5. According to the advertisement, what is near the Golden Care Facility?
- (A) a hospital
 - (B) a golf course
 - (C) a movie theater
 - (D) a recreation center
6. Which is listed in the advertisement as a way to learn more about the Golden Care Facility?
- (A) visit the information center
 - (B) call the managerial headquarters
 - (C) go directly to the Hilltop Resort
 - (D) send email to the facility manager

Passage C

Hanley's Bite-sized Milk Chocolate Pieces with Hazelnuts

New and improved, with more fiber and more nuts!

Serving size (6 pieces)

Calories 210 Total fat 14 g, 21% Cholesterol 2 mg, 1%

Sodium 23 mg, 7% Dietary Fiber 1 g, 4%

* percent daily values are based on a 2,000-calorie diet

7. According to the label, how has Hanley's Chocolate changed?
- (A) It has more nuts.
 - (B) It has 21% less fat.
 - (C) It has more protein.
 - (D) It has larger pieces.
8. How many pieces are there in a single serving size of Hanley's Chocolate?
- (A) 2
 - (B) 4
 - (C) 6
 - (D) 8
9. How much cholesterol is in a serving of Hanley's Chocolate?
- (A) 2 mg
 - (B) 8 mg
 - (C) 11 mg
 - (D) 14 mg



Passage D

YFK Seating, Inc. Wins Award

The American Association of Industrial Design gave this year's annual "Best of the Best" award to YFK seating, Inc. for its YFK Ergonomic office Chair.

The strange looking chair was designed by a chiropractor and has eleven plastic "vertebrae" running up its back that move in sync with you as you shift your body and remember the contours of your spine. The chair adjusts in three dimensions, and twists and bends with you as you move, easing back pain and according to the company, improving posture over time. The chair retails for \$1,995 and works on 110 volt current.

10. What is learned about the YFK Ergonomic Office Chair?

- (A) It costs more than \$2,000
- (B) It took 11 years to develop.
- (C) It is available only online.
- (D) It was designed by a chiropractor.

11. What is a feature of the YFK Ergonomic Office Chair?

- (A) It has three main sections.
- (B) It has an adjustable metal frame.
- (C) It fits people of different sizes.
- (D) It twists and bends as people move.

12. What is the YFK Ergonomic Office Chair **Not** designed to do?

- (A) Ease back pain
- (B) Improve posture
- (C) Strengthen back muscles
- (D) Follow the shape of the spine

Passage E

Dear Mr. Jenson,

It is with great pleasure to announce that your loyalty to this dealership, since its very beginning over 15 years ago, is surpassed by no other customer. Time and time again, you have purchased automobiles from here and brought them back for their regular service maintenance. We felt it was time to give something back to our most loyal customer and knowing you're interested in art we are pleased to present you these two tickets for the current art display at the National Museum of Art. Though it is with disappointment to inform you that the Sculpture Gardens exhibition is closed due to fire damage, there are many other exhibitions to choose from.

You will receive in the mail a monthly newsletter updating you on upcoming events and exhibitions and for added convenience the Gallery's website provides the same information, as well as a map on how to get there.

Please enjoy these tickets and don't forget to tell us about your time there when you come in for your next tune-up.

Regards,



Rob Wood
Rob Wood

National Museum of Art
DAY PASS- ADMITS ONE
More collections coming soon!
13 Thurmaston Lane- Leicester-England

13. Why did Rob Wood send tickets to Mr. Jenson?
- (A) to apologize for bad service
 - (B) to show appreciation of buying a new car
 - (C) to show gratitude to a customer
 - (D) to provide gallery information
14. What do the newsletter and the website have in common?
- (A) They are both available in English.
 - (B) The opening and closing hours of the museum
 - (C) A map providing the location of the museum
 - (D) Both provide updates on collections
15. What information is NOT listed on the ticket?
- (A) valid time of the ticket
 - (B) names of upcoming exhibits
 - (C) the number of people that can use one ticket
 - (D) the museum's address