

29.1

Decide which of the alternatives (A–G) each sentence describes. Write the letter of your answer in the box at the end of the sentence.

1 A legal document that explains a formal agreement.	
2 A name or symbol on a product showing that it is made by a specific producer; it cannot be produced by anyone else.	
3 When two companies or organisations work together on a project.	
4 The legal right allowing you to make or sell an invention for a specific time.	
5 When two or more companies join together.	
6 The legal right to control the production and sales of a book, play, film, photograph or piece of music.	
7 The process of obtaining something.	

- A patent B contract C joint venture D acquisition
 E copyright F merger G trademarks

29.2

Choose the best alternative to complete the sentences.

- After the industrial accident, he decided to (make legal action / take legal action).
- Sadly her business wasn't a success and after three years she was declared (bankrupt / bank charged).
- The arrested man was hoping to (be cleaned / be cleared) of his fraud charge.
- By using the song for a TV programme without the composer's agreement, the production company had (broken the copyright / breached the copyright) regulation.
- After the judge sentenced the burglar to five years' imprisonment, the lawyer was instructed to (appeal / appease).
- The actress decided to (sue / sow) the newspaper after it was discovered that the article about her was largely untrue.

29.3

Fill each gap by choosing a word related to each sentence. The first letter has been given to help you.

When writing a report, a number of aspects should be considered:

- The writing should be clear, concise and (1) a..... .
- The (2) c..... and the (3) l..... need to be clear and easy to follow throughout.
- If there are different parts to the report, use (4) s..... -..... to keep the structure clear.
- The main sections that should be included are an introduction, some (5) b..... information and a conclusion.
- A report should always begin with the (6) t..... and the date.
- One of the best pieces of advice to remember is Keep It Short and (7) S..... .

Test mark /20