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مدرسة "الرّجاء والتفوّق" الخاصة - بوزريعة -

A/Comprehension (7pts)

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Read the text carefully then do the activities

There is a new phrase appearing in business language. It is the concept of Triple Bottom Line, a concept that recognises that there are three legs to measurement of a company's performance- these being social, environmental and financial. Put in a more friendly way, it is about 'people, planet and profits'. This concept recognises that a company cannot be judged by financial performance alone.

Furthermore, it also recognises that the three legs are linked. It is not sufficient, however, just to talk about Triple Bottom Line as a 'fashionable' concept. For those of us who see this concept as the way of the future, it is also necessary to 'walk the talk' and translate this concept into the reality of running a business such as ours.

In business, we have traditionally been taught to only present the Company in the best possible light, particularly to that important group of stakeholders—the customer. It's hard to be honest and self critical in a public way. It's easy to highlight your successes but hard to highlight your faillures and your areas for improvement. In the case of a private company, it is also hard to publicly reveal its financial information.

Hubbard foods Ltd. (New zealand)

'Chief Executive Officer's Statement'

1. Circle the letter that corresponds to the right answer.(0.5 point)

The text is a: a. newspaper article b.speech c. letter

- 2. Are these statements true or false? Write T o F next to the letter corresponding to the statement. (2points)
  - a. The Triple Bottom Line is a new concept in today's business.
  - b. Financial profit is the only way to measure a company's performance.
  - c. The three legs of The Triple Bottom Line are inter-related.
  - d. It is not easy for a private company to present publicly its financial situation.
- 3. Answer the following questions according to the text. (3points)
  - a. Which aspects does the Triple Bottom Line concept refer to?
  - b. Does the speaker intend to apply the new concept in the management of his company? Justify.
  - c. Why is it easier to highlight successes than failures?
- 4. In which paragraph is it mentioned that :( 1point)
  - a. The Triple Bottom Line concept should be applied in business management?
  - b. Managers generally show only the positive sides of their companies?
- 5. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text? (0.5 point)
  - a. It (\$2)

b. its (\$3

#### B/Text exploration (8pts)

- 1. Find in the text words that are closet in meaning to the following. (1.5pts)
- a. idea (\$1) b.enough (\$2) c.client(\$3)

WW.Wind in the rext words that are opposite in meaning to the following.

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a. losses(\$1) b. fiction(\$2) c. hide(\$3)

#### 3. Complete the chat as shown in the example. (1.5pts)

Verb	Noun	Adjective
To perform	Performance	Performed
		Financial
	Measurement	
		Critical

4. Join each pair of sentences with one of the connectors from the list. (1.5pts)	4.	Join	each	pair	of	sentences	with	one	of	the	connectors	from	the	list.	(1.5)	pts	;)
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Because – provided that - so......that- in order to

1/-Some companies are unethical.

-It's hard for them to reveal financial situation.

2/-A company will act responsibly.

-It will gain the confidence of the stake holders.

### 5. Rewrite sentences (b) so that it means the same as sentences (a). (1.5pts)

1) a. We should translate this concept into the reality of running a business.

b. It's high time.....

2) a. Some companies are using child labour in their business.

b. Child labour .....

## 6. Ask the questions that the underlined words answer. (1pt)

- There are three legs to the measurement of a company's performance.
- The manager explains the new concept in business.

#### 7. Underline the stressed syllable. (1pt)

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PART TWO: Written Expression (5pts)

É C O L E D D L V É E

Using the notes below, write a composition of 120-150 words on the following:

Social responsibility has become an important factor to judge a company's performance. Being socially responsible involves:

-be ethical/ comply with business regulation

-meet the expectations of the stakeholders (customers, employees, etc.)

-contribute to the general welfare of the community

Choose ONE of the following topics: Topic One:

-preserve the environment

#### Topic Two:

"Millions of children are engaged in hazardous situations or conditions, such as working in mines, working with chemicals and pesticides in agriculture or working with dangerous machinery."

Write a short composition to state your opinion about child labour and the measures that should be taken to reduce or stop this kind of abuse.

Good Luck <sup>(1)</sup>

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# A) Comprehension (07 pts)

- 1) A speech.
- 2) a-t, b-f, c-t, d-t, (02 pts)
- 3) a- the triple bottom line conncept refers to theree legs to measurement of company's performance - These being social, environemental and financial
  - b- Yes, he does because he says' for those of us who see this concept as the way of the future, it's also necessary to walk the talk and transate this concept into the reality of running a business such as ours.
  - c- Because we have traditionnally been taught to only present the company in the best possible light.

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- 4) a \_\_\_ par 2
  - b **→** par 3
- 5) a → it refers to this concept.
  - b <u>its</u> refersto private company
- B) text exploration (08 pts)
  - 1)- a) Idea = concept
    - b) enugh = sufficent
  - c) client = customer 2) losses ≠ profits Cole Erradja wa Tafaouk fiction  $\neq$  reality  $hide \neq reveal$
  - 3)

Verb	Noun	Adjectif
To finance	finance	Financial
To measure	Measurement	Measured/measuring
To criticize	Criticism/critic	Critical

- 4) a- Sompanies are so unethical that it's hard for them reveal financial situation.
  - b- A company will gain the confidence of the stake holder provides that i tacts responsably.
- 5) 1) b- it's high tim we translated .......

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6) How many legs are there to the?	
What does the menager explain	9
7) Information, Financial, To reveal	

