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**SEC (B)**

**Business English**

**Attempt all questions**

**Q 1. Read the following paragraph and state the sentence which could be the best described as its topic sentence /10**

* **Many citizens argue that serious criminals should be executed.**

**This sentence is suitable as a topic sentence**

**Notice; because this sentence clearly identified that the key topic of the paragraph is criminal.it also indicate that the remainder of the paragraph will discuss that criminal must be executed and there will be no crimes anymore and set example for other**.

**Q 2. Convert the following simple sentences into compound sentences. /3**

**Ans:**

**1: The Company plans to market the product overseas, so the company has to produces variety of material.**

**2: I like pumpkin pie, but I also love chocolate**

**3: I like sample sentence, but I hate compound sentence.**

**Q3. Read the given paragraphs and state which one is more coherent and properly organized. /5**

* **This paragraph is more coherent and properly organized.**

**B) "It is possible to argue that more effective education would work for a decrease in the crime rate and that prison is an ineffective deterrent. People who argue in favor of prison often claim that it is not only the most appropriate way to punish offenders; it also prevents crimes from being committed. For example, many young people join gangs at an early age due to peer group pressure and they are led into a life of crime in later life because of the choices they made when they were younger.”**

**Q4. Summarize the following paragraph. (100 words only). Copied answer will not be considered for checking/marking. /12**

**Ans:**

In the early days, how did people trade? Before the invention of money the most primitive way of exchange should be the barter trade. In this form of transaction, people used goods to exchange for the things that they had in mind. The above example clearly illustrates the inefficiency of barter trading; however, the cumbersome barter trade finally gave way to the monetary form of exchange when the idea of money was invented. Monetary means of transaction at first beat the traditional barter trade. It was only later in about 700 BC Gyges the king of standardized the value of each coin and even printed his name on the coins.