

REVIEW TEST

PJ13A

Market Leader: Unit 3 – Partnerships

Name:			
Teacher:		TOTAL (60 points to pass)	MARK
Number of points (max. 100 points)			
I. Listening:		III. Grammar:	
II. Vocabulary:		IV. Translation:	

I. Listening: (max. 20 points) points

II. Vocabulary: (max. 34 points) points

A. Translate the following expressions into English: (2 points each)

výdaje na kapitálově náročné projekty – _____

shromáždit peníze na stavbu komunitních zařízení – _____

podržet si vlastnictví aktiv – _____

systém navržený na generování zisku a malých nákladů na údržbu – _____

mnohostranné a podfinancované vládní investice – _____

všeobecné poskytování veřejných statků – _____

zneužití moci přirozeného monopolu – _____

poptávka po dotovaných regulovaných veřejných službách – _____

B. Write expressions the following definitions refer to: (2 points each)

1. organization that maintains the infrastructure for a public service; a set of services provided by these organizations consumed by the public: electricity, natural gas, water and sewage; telephone services may also be included:

2. the part of the economy of a country that is owned or controlled by the government:

C. Complete the sentence with one of the following phrases; translate the selected phrase. (2 points each)

CENTRAL PLANNING, PUBLIC SERVICE ETHOS, SHIFTING SAND, VENDORS, GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES, CONCESSIONS, BORE HOLES

1. Many _____ can sell their products to you at a discounted rate.

In Czech or Slovak: _____

2. This service is not provided by private companies but by _____.

In Czech or Slovak: _____

3. If you want to negotiate better conditions, you'll have to make some _____.

In Czech or Slovak: _____

D. Complete the sentences with correct forms of the following verbs; some verbs are not used: (1 point each)

STEP BACK IN – FOSTER – PUT OFF – SERVICE – FLOOD INTO NATIONALIZE – TEMPT – REIMBURSE – RELINQUISH

1. The government's behavior _____ many people so they are dissatisfied now.

2. Your employer has the possibility _____ part of your medication bill.

3. The EU _____ border controls between member states a few years ago.

4. You'll have to earn more money if you want _____ your debts fully.

E. Complete each sentence with a word made from the word given in brackets. (1 point each)

1. Local governments usually don't support _____ in developing countries because they are afraid of their country's property. (**PRIVATE**)

2. As the strategic partner holds a 51% share in the company, it can _____ the decisions of the minority shareholders. (**TURN**)

3. If some services are _____, people aren't getting enough of them or the quality is poor. (**PROVIDE**)

4. Our inability to estimate the risk factor realistically made us risk _____. (**AVERSION**)

III. Grammar: (max. 30 points)

points

A. Fill in the gaps with a suitable preposition or adverbial, if necessary: (1 point each)

- Many of our employees would opt _____ a shorter working week.
- Allow _____ the decline in GDP in your study on the crisis.
- Could you give us advice _____ dealing with competitors?
- All employees have to pay their medical insurance, regardless _____ their income.
- I recommend that you don't experiment _____ outsourcing all our services.
- It can be a problem to recoup _____ investments in unstable developing countries.

B. Rewrite the sentences with the given words and use passive voice. (3 points each)

- I'm going to permit them to participate at the conference.
They _____ at the conference.
- We had punished the staff for their bad deeds and they decided not to do it again.
Because the staff _____ for their bad deeds and they decided not to do it again.
- We / accustom / be given / the worst work.
We _____ the worst work.

C. Put the **VERBS** and other words in brackets into their correct forms, add prepositions, particles or auxiliary verbs if necessary. You may need to use the passive forms of the verbs: (1 point each)

It is always difficult _____ (**COMPEL**, people, **PAY**) public services when they know it isn't necessary. Therefore, the state _____ (**CAN**, **DECIDE**, **GUARANTEE**, **PROVIDE**) them free of charge or at low price. Some private companies _____ (**MAY**, **ANNOY**, **LEAVE**) outside this business but people usually appreciate it. Economists usually _____ (**ENQUIRE**, **USE**) the resources efficiently and they _____ (**BLAME**, the government, **WASTE**) taxpayers' money. Private companies _____ (**CAN**, **RELY**, **SUCCEED**, **FIGHT**) their competition, which _____ (**RESULT**, **ATTEMPT**, **LOWER**) their costs as much as possible, but for the state this is not a concern. Some countries _____ (**PREFER**, **DISTRIBUTE**) these services in both ways, i.e. in private and public ways. However, the main issue is if people have a reason _____ (**OBJECT**, **PROVIDE**) public services on given conditions.

D. Choose suitable words or phrases that can complete each sentence. The number of correct answers is 0-4.

(2 points each)

- The university _____ its budget _____.
A: refuses to get ... lowered
B: will have to getting ... cut
C: insists to have ... boosted
D: expects to have ... boosted
- The teacher _____ every lecture with checking attendance.
A: was discouraging from starting
B: detests being expected to start
C: was aware of being known to begin
D: might has been told to begin
- The government _____ the private sector _____ their prices.
A: is trying to make ... to reduce
B: is relied on ... to cut
C: has attempted to make ... decreasing
D: wants to let ... cut

IV. Translation: (max. 16 points)

points

Translate the following sentences into English: (8 points each)

V zemích, kde veřejné služby nejsou ani veřejně poskytovány, ani veřejně financovány, obvykle nepodléhají vládní regulaci, protože soukromý sektor zajistí dostatečné množství těchto statků. Nicméně statky, jejichž spotřeba je nerivalitní a nevyloučitelná, jsou zaručeny státem. Jedná se například o armádu, veřejné zdravotnictví nebo policii. I v těchto případech však může veřejný sektor spolupracovat se soukromým, zejména při nákupu materiálu, stavbě nové infrastruktury či poskytování dodatečných služeb.
