### Unit 4 – Handout

## 1. Make questions for the following answers (based on the article HOW ABOUT NOW, p. 35, Unit 4)

- 1. being verbose (1)
- 2. right to the point (1)
- 3. obsessive quest for perfection (2)
- 4. buing and seeling online as well as setting up a digital info system (2)
- 5. everything involved in the company's business (2)
- 6. the status of programs critical to GE's business (3)
- 7. if one of them stays red or yellow for too long (3)
- 8. all GE's senior managers (4)
- 9. how certain measurements perform against goals (4)
- 10. \$ 1.6 billion in one year (5)
- 11. innovative business management (5)
- 12. instantaneously (5)
- 13. a window into their business they never had before (6)
- 14. wireless sensors (7)
- 15. to develop software suggesting ways of optimizing the supply chain (7)
- 16. fluid and volatile (8)
- 17. automated program trading (8)

### 2. Complete the noun phrases with adjectives and nouns you hear

| 1 | L | source       |
|---|---|--------------|
| 2 | G | organization |
| 3 | S | observation  |
| 4 | I | methods      |
| 5 | E | surveillance |
| 6 | C | information  |
| 7 | C | areas        |

| 8  | V | business    |  |  |
|----|---|-------------|--|--|
| 9  | C | network     |  |  |
| 10 | K | member      |  |  |
| 11 | V | information |  |  |
| 12 | S | training    |  |  |
| 13 | G | terms       |  |  |
| 14 | S | devices     |  |  |

#### 3. Dilemma Listening

| Digital Visions is facing the sort | of dilemma that many major corporations are    | ·   |
|------------------------------------|--|---|
| And it's an extremely              | one with no easy solution.                     |   |
| On the one hand there is a law the | nat corporations cannot                        | without taking                            |
| On the other hand there is a ques  | stion whether a company can or should          | a law on employees in another country whe |
| the law directly                   | its own national                               | ·   |
| 75% of companies in the US have    | ve a sort of                                   |   |
| This question will                 | very quickly and will be resolved at the       | of government.                            |
| They should definitely not instal  | I the hotline in countries where it meets with |   |

# 4. WB p. 19 Make Qs for the following Answers:

- 1. several times a day (1)
- 2. Microsoft (1)
- 3. four years ago (2)
- 4. to handwrite their notes (2)
- 5. to converse with customer (2)
- 6. for gadget lovers (3)
- 7. Lenn Pryor (3)
- 8. When he opines ruthlessly on Microsoft's technology. (4)
- 9. being harsh on Microsoft (4)
- 10. he cries foul. (4)
- 11. Jonathan Schwarz (5)
- 12. that he wants his executives blogging (5)