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Paper 1 Structure and Operation of the English Legal System

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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

An answer booklet is provided inside this question paper. You should follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

Answer three questions.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

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Answer three questions.

- 1 Describe how a Bill becomes an Act. What are the advantages and disadvantages of creating law in this way? [25]
- **2** Both custodial and non-custodial sentences are available to courts when dealing with an adult offender.

Consider to what extent each of these sentencing options achieves the aims of sentencing set out in the Criminal Justice Act 2003. [25]

3 It is essential that a jury is unbiased.

Describe the selection process for jurors. Consider the extent to which this process prevents bias. [25]

4 Delegated legislation is an essential form of law making.

Describe, with the use of examples, the different types of delegated legislation. Consider why this form of law making is so important. [25]

- 5 Explain the forms of Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) with reference to examples. Discuss whether ADR is more effective for a claimant than using the courts. Do **not** refer to tribunals. [25]
- 6 Explain how far the new appointment procedures for judges ensure that suitable people are selected for the job. [25]

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