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# Law

**International Advanced Level**  
**Paper 1: Underlying Principles of Law and**  
**the English Legal System**

Friday 10 November 2017 – Morning  
**Time: 3 hours**

Paper Reference

**YLA1/01**

**You do not need any other materials.**

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## Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*

## Information

- The total mark for this paper is 100.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

## Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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**Answer ALL questions.**

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**1** (a) Briefly describe **two** forms of delegated legislation.

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(b) Explain the advantages of delegated legislation.

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(c) Assess how the courts control delegated legislation.

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(c) Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using jurors in the criminal justice system.

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3 (a) Briefly describe the Law Commission and **one** way it can influence law reform in Parliament.

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(b) Explain how **one** of the following influences the making of laws by Parliament:

- the media
- pressure groups.

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(c) Evaluate, using examples, the advantages and disadvantages of external influences on law making by Parliament.

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4 (a) Explain the burden of proof in a civil court and the normal purpose of the award of damages in such cases.

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(b) Damages are the main remedy awarded by the courts in civil cases.

Analyse **two** of the following:

- general damages
- special damages
- exemplary damages
- nominal damages.

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(c) Assess the purpose and any problems with the different equitable remedies available to resolve civil disputes.

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5 Evaluate the extent to which the law **always** follows morality.

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