



## Law

General Certificate of Secondary Education

Unit B142: Civil Courts and Civil Processes. Civil Liberties and Human Rights

# Mark Scheme for June 2013

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### Annotations

Annotation	Meaning
[10]	Benefit of the doubt
×	Incorrect point
	Expansion of a point
	Level one point made
<b>1</b> 2	Level two point made
5	Level three point made
1777	Not answered question
2010	No benefit of doubt given
8	Not relevant or to indicate all or part blank answer pages have been seen by the marker.
(LEP)	Repeat of question or answer
✓	Correct point
<b>~</b> .	Development of point
	Vague
	Omission mark

Question	Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance
1 1	Conciliation Arbitration Mediation	3	AO1 One mark for each correctly placed answer
2 2	<ul> <li>Advantages will include: <ul> <li>Quick and efficient</li> <li>Private (avoids bad publicity)</li> <li>Especially useful in certain areas (eg family and employment – to preserve relationship)</li> <li>Not bound by a system of precedent (therefore) flexible.</li> <li>Informal so leaves parties in control instead of courts</li> <li>Expertise. Some ADR (especially arbitration) allows use of relevant expertise</li> <li>Can 'narrow down' the legal issues even if it doesn't work</li> <li>Avoids confrontation/ bad feeling so successful resolution more likely.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Disadvantages will include: <ul> <li>No guarantee it will work-may litigate anyway.</li> <li>No public scrutiny</li> <li>Woolf reforms have 'forced' (encouraged) ADR on parties in certain areas (divorce) even where not appropriate</li> <li>At least decisions of civil courts are certain, predictable and binding</li> <li>Can lack authority of civil courts</li> <li>Can lack 'legal' expertise to deal with points of law</li> <li>Not legally binding</li> <li>Only works if both parties are willing to compromise.</li> <li>Parties may be intimidated by third party.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	6	<ul> <li>AO3</li> <li>Annotate as follows:</li> <li>Level 1: Point: Identification of advantage/disadvantage.</li> <li>Level 2: Developed point: Explanation/detail/example to illustrate advantage/disadvantage.</li> <li>Level 3: Well-developed point: Extended analysis of advantage/disadvantage.</li> <li>DO NOT CREDIT REFERENCE TO COSTS AS COVERED IN THE QUESTION</li> <li>Marks to be awarded on the following basis:</li> <li>Level three: (5–6)</li> <li>Good discussion covering both advantages and disadvantages.</li> <li>Level three: (3–4)</li> <li>Adequate discussion covering advantages <u>and/or</u> disadvantages.</li> <li>Level one: (1–2)</li> <li>Limited points covering advantages <u>and/or</u> disadvantages.</li> <li>Bare list of points lacks development for L2 and will be capped at 2 marks. Key words only then bottom L1.</li> <li>0 marks = no response or nothing worthy of credit.</li> <li>Maximum 6 marks</li> </ul>

Q	uestion	Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance
3	3	False	1	AO1 For one mark
4	4	True	1	AO1 For one mark
5	5	True	1	AO1 For one mark
6	6	Tribunals	1	AO2 For one mark Accept employment or industrial tribunals
7	7	High Court	1	AO2 For one mark Do <b>not</b> accept Divisional Courts
8	8	County Court	1	AO2 For one mark

Question	Answer/Indicative cont	ent Mark	Guidance
Question         1           9         9         1.           2.         3.         4.           4.         4.         4.	The Justices of the Supreme Cour Appeal Court Judge High Court Judge	4	Guidance AO1 One mark for each correctly drawn line. Maximum 4 marks. If no lines drawn accept alternative correct annotation. if there are lines <u>and</u> alternative annotation, only accept the lines drawn.

Q	uestion	Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance
10	10	Legal executive	1	AO2 For one mark Do <b>not</b> accept lawyer or 'executive' only
11	11	Solicitor	1	AO2 For one mark Do <b>not</b> accept lawyer
12	12	Barrister	1	AO2 For one mark Do <b>not</b> accept lawyer

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13 13	<ul> <li>Candidates will discuss any two of the following:</li> <li>Cost of training- puts off able candidates- skews the representativeness of the profession</li> <li>Training is a lengthy process -especially with GDL route- favours wealthy creating a barrier to entry</li> <li>Supply and demand – limited training contracts-many law students end up in debt with no job.</li> <li>Over representation of certain class-limited real life experience-not reflective of society/may impact on justice.</li> <li>Under-representation of ethnic minorities – not representative of society-may impact on justice.</li> <li>Legal fees too high-many cannot afford access to justice-legal aid cuts.</li> <li>The bar is a 'closed shop' profession- requirements such as joining bar association, attending dinners- favours wealthy.</li> <li>Legal profession supplies judiciary- knock-on effect on composition – may impact on justice.</li> <li>Clementi Report – note regulatory and other changes.</li> <li>Is training fit for purpose? -quality issue; different experience a different firms/chambers – effect on competence.</li> <li>A divided profession – is this helpful? –additional costs for public of dual profession</li> </ul>	6	<ul> <li>AO3</li> <li>Annotate as follows:</li> <li>Level 1: Point: Identification of criticism.</li> <li>Level 2: Developed point: Explanation/detail/example to illustrate criticism.</li> <li>Level 3: Well-developed point: Extended analysis of criticism.</li> <li>Mark as follows for each of the two situations:</li> <li>Level 3: 3 marks-develops a discussion of a relevant criticism</li> <li>Level 2: 2 marks-identifies a relevant criticism with some elaboration.</li> <li>Level 1: 1 mark-identifies a relevant criticism or makes any valid point.</li> <li>0 marks = no response or nothing worthy of credit.</li> <li>Maximum 6 marks</li> <li>Do not credit for reference to gender inequality as that is referred to in the question.</li> </ul>	

	Mark	Mark Guidance
14       1. Adverts and applications         2. Sifts         3. Interviews         4. Consultation         5. Appointments for successful applicants         1         2         3         3         4         5         Consultation	5	Guidance           AO1           One mark for each correctly drawn line. Maximum 5 marks.           If correctly numbered but lines are wrong, lines take precedence.           If only numbered annotations, accept this.

Question		Answer/Indicative content						Mark	Guidance	
15	15	15	i. ii. iii. iv. v.	False True False False True				5	<b>AO1</b> One mark for each correctly ticked answer. Maximum 5 marks.	
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			iii				✓			
			iv				✓			
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		(Ca	se 2) freedom	of thought, co	nscience a	nd religion	(Article 9)		One mark for each correct answer. Maximum 3 marks.	
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17	19	<ul> <li>Freedom 1: Freedom of information <ul> <li>It ensures personal data held about you is lawful</li> <li>It ensures surveillance by police and others is subject to lawful controls</li> <li>It ensures listening devices and covert observation devices are used lawfully</li> <li>It ensures you have the right to access information held about you.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Freedom 2: Freedom of thought, conscience and religion <ul> <li>It allows you to hold and express religious beliefs and other beliefs like veganism, agnosticism, humanism, pacifism and atheism</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	4	<ul> <li>AO1 For each freedom: Award one mark for each description. Accept examples as part of description. Do not accept "If you ask for information on <u>something</u>, they have to give it to you." Too vague. Do not accept a re-writing of the question in relation to Freedom 2. Annotate this as repetition.</li></ul>
		<ul> <li>They include taking public oaths in accordance with beliefs</li> <li>They include education in schools</li> <li>They allow the tolerance of religious diversity</li> <li>Freedom to wear religious clothing like the hijab and turban.</li> </ul>		
18	20	Freedom of expression Stir up racial hatred Article 10	3	AO2 One mark for each correctly ticked answer
19	21	Freedom of association and assembly It is an illegal strike Article 11	3	AO2 One mark for each correctly ticked answer
20	22	Freedom of the person Have intelligence from a member of the public that Charlie has a knife Article 5	3	AO2 One mark for each correctly ticked answer

#### B142/01 and B142/02

Question	Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance
21 23	<ul> <li>Arguments for the HRA 1998:</li> <li>Basic rights to protect the individual. Specific Articles cited.</li> <li>Upholds universal values of equality and stops discrimination</li> <li>To avoid the atrocities of the past.</li> <li>Because a civilised society protects the weak and vulnerable</li> <li>Recognises that certain rights cannot be taken away or interfered with</li> <li>Since rights come with responsibilities they are balanced.</li> <li>Fundamental rights are above man-made law. Should be protected above and beyond ordinary laws</li> <li>Arguments Against the HRA 1998:</li> <li>Restrictions on individual freedoms. Right to death cases.</li> <li>Misuse. Criminals remaining in UK due to having developed a family life.</li> <li>HRA does not work-still discrimination.</li> <li>Restrictions – some argue that human rights place undue burdens on business and public bodies (e.g. provision of services for minorities, housing, NHS).</li> <li>Restore (or maintain) sovereignty – i.e. British courts deciding British matters.</li> <li>Democracy – matters in the UK should be determined by people who have been voted for</li> <li>Exceptions – replacing the HRA with a Bill of Rights would allow for exceptions to be created (e.g. people – UK citizens only; public bodies – police exempt; situations – criminal excepted)</li> </ul>	6	<ul> <li>AO3</li> <li>Annotate as follows:</li> <li>Level 1: Point: Identification of the argument in favour or against the HRA 1998.</li> <li>Level 2: Developed point: Explanation/detail/example to illustrate the argument.</li> <li>Level 3: Well-developed point: Extended analysis of the argument.</li> <li>Care: Do not credit examples given in the question.</li> <li>Marks to be awarded on the following basis:</li> <li>Level three: (5–6)</li> <li>Good discussion covering both arguments for and against HRA 1998. CHECK CAREFULLY THAT BOTH FOR AND AGAINST ARE COVERED.</li> <li>Level two: (3–4)</li> <li>Adequate discussion covering either arguments for or arguments against HRA1998.</li> <li>Level one: (1–2)</li> <li>Limited points covering either arguments for or arguments against HRA 1998.</li> <li>Bare list of points lacks development for L2 and will be capped at 2 marks. Key words only then bottom L1.</li> <li>0 marks = no response or nothing worthy of credit.</li> </ul>
	Credit any other relevant points		

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