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| Question  |  |                              | Answer                 |                     |                  | Marks |
|-----------|--|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1(a)(i)   | To notify Thato of an overcharge/faulty goods To notify Thato of goods being returned To request that Thato reduce the amount of the invoice/request credit note Any 1 purpose (1)     |                              |                        |                     |                  |       |
| 1(a)(ii)  |  | credit Abebe<br>account      | debit Abebe<br>account | no entry            |                  | 1     |
|           |  |                              |                        | √(1)                |                  |       |
| 1(b)(i)   | To inform Abebe of the am<br>To provide a summary of t<br>To allow Abebe to check h<br>Any 1 purpose (1)   | he transactions for the r    | nonth/period           |                     |                  | 1     |
| 1(b)(ii)  | The statement is a summa   | ary of the transactions w    | hich have already been | recorded in the acc | counting records | 1     |
| 1(c)(i)   | Thato purchased in large quantities/to encourage Thato to purchase in large quantities Thato is a loyal customer/encourage repeat business Thato is in the same trade Any 1 reason (1) |                              |                        |                     |                  | 1     |
| 1(c)(ii)  | To encourage Thato to pay promptly / within the credit period allowed / within 30 days   |                              |                        |                     | 1                |       |
| 1(c)(iii) | \$5000 - (2½% × 5000) = 5  | 5000 – 125 = 4875 <b>(1)</b> |                        |                     |                  | 1     |
| 1(c)(iv)  | Purchases ledger   |                              |                        |                     |                  | 1     |

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| Question |                | Answer   |                         |       |        | Marks |
|----------|----------------|--|-------------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| 1(d)     |                | Thato<br>Purchases journal                             |                         |       |        | 5     |
|          | Date           | Details  | \$                      | \$    |        |       |
|          | 2018<br>Aug 4  | Nyack<br>Goods<br>Less Trade discount<br>Gaby<br>Goods | 6 250<br>1 250<br>2 600 | 5 000 | (1)    |       |
|          |                | Less Trade discount                                    | 520                     | 2 080 | (1)    |       |
|          | 31             | Transfer to purchases account                          | -                       | 7 080 | (1) OF |       |
|          |                | Purchases returns jo                                   | ournal                  |       |        |       |
|          | Date           | Details  | \$                      | \$    |        |       |
|          | 2018<br>Aug 13 | Gaby<br>Goods<br>Less Trade discount                   | 100<br>20               | 80    | (1)    |       |
|          | 31             | Transfer to purchases returns account                  |                         | 80    | (1) OF |       |

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| Question |   |                            | Ans         | wer        |                          |       | Mark |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|---|----------------------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|-------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1(e)     | Thato Purchases account                         |                            |             |            |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Date 2018                                       | Details                    | \$          | Date       | Details                  | \$    |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Aug 31  | Purchases for month (1) OF | 7 080       |            |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          |   | Р                          | urchases re | turns acco | ount                     |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Date  | Details                    | \$          | Date       | Details                  | \$    |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          |   |                            |             | 2018       |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          |   |                            |             | Aug 31     | Returns for month (1) OF | 80    |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          |   |                            | Gaby a      | ccount     |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Date  | Details                    | \$          | Date       | Details                  | \$    |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | 2018  |                            |             | 2018       |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Aug 13  | Purchases returns (1) OF   | 80          | Aug 9      | Purchases (1)OF          | 2 080 |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | 30  | Bank (1) OF                | 1 960       |            |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|          |   | Discount (1) OF            | 40          |            |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1(f)     | Business entity ( Money measure Realisation (1) |                            |             |            |                          |       |      |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Question |   |       |                   |                | Ans  | wer     |               |            |          |            |        | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|-------------------|----------------|------|---------|---------------|------------|----------|------------|--------|-------|
| 2(a)     | Reduces the number of entries in the main cash book Reduces the small cash payments in the main cash book Reduces the number of entries in the ledger Allows the chief cashier to delegate some of the work Provides training for junior members of staff Or other suitable advantage Any 1 advantage (1) |       |                   |                |      |         |               |            |          |            |        | 1     |
| 2(b)     | Sara<br>Cleaning account  |       |                   |                |      |         |               |            |          |            |        |       |
|          | D   | ate   |                   | Details        | \$   | Date    |               | Details    |          | \$         |        |       |
|          | 201   | 18    |                   |                |      | 2018    |               |            |          |            |        |       |
|          | Jı  | ul 31 | Petty cas         | sh (1)         | 55   | Jul 31  | Petty cash (1 | )          |          | 5          |        |       |
| 2(c)     | Sabeena a   | ccoun | t <b>(1)</b> Debi | t (1)          |      |         |               |            |          |            |        | 2     |
| 2(d)     |   |       |                   |                |      |         |               |            | _        |            |        | 3     |
|          |   |       |                   | debit          |      |         | credit        |            |          |            |        |       |
|          |   |       |                   |                | \$   |         |               | \$         |          |            |        |       |
|          |   |       |                   | petty cash (1) | 104* | cash/ba | ank (1)       | 104*       |          |            |        |       |
|          |   |       |                   |                |      |         |               | *(1) for 2 | matching | correct fi | igures |       |

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| Question |   | Answer                                       |                  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|---|--|------------------|--|---|--------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| 2(e)     |   | Sara Commission receivable account           |                  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Date<br>2017<br>Aug 1<br>2018<br>Jul 31 | Details  Balance b/d  Income statement (1)OF | \$<br>190<br>420 | Date<br>2017<br>Aug 3<br>2018<br>Feb 1<br>Jul 31 | Details  Bank } (1)  Bank } Balance c/d | \$ 190 200 220 610 |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | 2018<br>Aug 1<br>+ (1) Dates            | Balance b/d (1)                              | 220              |  |   | 610                |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Question | Answe  | r  | Marks |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|--|--|-------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 2(f)     | Sara<br>Rates and insurance account  |  |       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Date 2017 Aug 1 2017 Sept 1 Nov 1         Balance (insurance) b/d 2018 Jul 31         \$ Dat 2017 Aug 2018 Jul 31           2018 Jul 31         Balance c/d 400 Jul 3400         \$ 570 Aug 2018 Jul 31           2018 Aug 1 Balance         \$ 5200 Jul 31         \$ 5200 Jul 3400 | 9 1 Balance (rates) b/d 800  31 Drawings (1) 1 000 Income statement (1)  Rates 4800 Ins 2370  Balance c/d (1)OF 7 170 600  9 570 |       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2(g)     | + (1) Dates  Financial information is reliable only if it can be depended on to represent actual events  | (rates) b/d (1) 400  | 2     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2(h)     | if it can be depended on to represent actual events if it is free from error if it free from bias Any 2 comments (1) each  Comparability (1) Relevance (1) Understandability (1)   |  | 3     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Question | Answer   |             |                                   | Marks |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|--|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| 3(a)     | Sadia Income Statement for the year ended 30 September 2018  |             |                                   |       |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Fees from clients (42 100 – 2880 <b>(1)</b> + 3120 <b>(1)</b> )  | \$          | \$<br>42 340                      |       |  |  |  |  |  |
|          | Wages $(29800-3500(1))$<br>Advertising $(3150-630(1))$<br>Rent $(1200+190(1)-200(1))$<br>General expenses<br>Provision for doubtful debts $((5\%\times3120(1))-144(1))$<br>Depreciation<br>Office equipment $((26000-9360)(1)\times20\%(1))$<br>Office furniture $(11100+1450-11400)$<br>Profit for the year | 12<br>3 328 | (1) 36 275<br>6 065 (1) <b>OF</b> |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3(b)     | Revenue Purchases Inventory (opening/closing) Returns (sales/purchases) Carriage inwards Carriage outwards Or other suitable item Any 3 items (1) each   |             |                                   | ;     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3(c)     | Assess prospects of any requested loan/overdraft being repaid when due Assess prospects of any interest on loan/overdraft being paid when due Assess security available to cover any loan/overdraft  Or other acceptable reason  Any 2 reasons (1) each  | e           |                                   | 2     |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Question | Answer   | Marks |
|----------|--|-------|
| 3(d)     | Competitors Employees Government Lenders/potential lenders Manager Potential buyers of the business/investors Potential partners Trade receivables/clients/customers Trade payables/suppliers Owner/Sadia Or other acceptable interested party Any two interested parties (1) each | 2     |

| Question | Answer  | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 4(a)     | To ensure that the trial balance totals agree To allow draft financial statements to be prepared To assist in the correction of errors To assist in ensuring errors are discovered Any 2 reasons (1) each | 2     |

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| Question |                        |  | Answer   |      |            |                          | Marks |  |  |
|----------|------------------------|--|--|------|------------|--------------------------|-------|--|--|
| 4(b)     | Rizwan<br>Journal      |  |  |      |            |                          |       |  |  |
|          |                        |  | Details  | \$   | \$         |                          |       |  |  |
|          |                        | 1  | Suspense Rent receivable Rent payable Correction of error, rent receivable treated as rent payable         | 1120 | 560<br>560 | (1)<br>(1)<br>(1)<br>(1) |       |  |  |
|          |                        | 2  | Office equipment Purchases Correction of error, office equipment treated as purchases                      | 890  | 890        | (1)<br>(1)<br>(1)        |       |  |  |
|          |                        | 3  | (No entry) Suspense Correction of error, petty cash omitted from trial balance                             | _    | 21         | (1)<br>(1)<br>(1)        |       |  |  |
| 4(c)     |                        | ice of pricting trade trade of goton | e of goods e discount allowed to customers le discount received from suppliers loods reason                |      |            |                          |       |  |  |
| 4(d)     | Reason<br>The business | was<br>ge of   | rptember 2017 <b>(1)</b> run less efficiently in 2018 f expenses to revenue was greater in 2018 <b>(1)</b> |      |            |                          |       |  |  |

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| Question | Answer  | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 4(e)     | Reduce expenses/control expenses better Obtain more other income Change the type of expenses Or other suitable ways Any 2 ways (1) each | 2     |
| 4(f)     | Increase in profit Reduction in capital/increase in drawings Reduction in long term loans Any 2 reasons (1) each                        | 2     |

| Question | Answer  | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 5(a)     | Easier to see amount invested by each partner Easier to calculate interest on capital Easier to see the profit retained by each partner Easier to see if a partner is making excessive drawings Any 2 advantages (1) each | 2     |

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| Question |                                     |                                       |               | Ans             | swer           |                                    |              |                 | Marks |
|----------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-------|
| 5(b)     | 5(b) Mark and Ella Current accounts |                                       |               |                 |                |                                    |              | 7               |       |
|          | Date                                | Detail                                | Mark<br>\$    | Ella<br>\$      | Date           | Detail                             | Mark<br>\$   | Ella<br>\$      |       |
|          | 2017                                | Rolones h/d                           | 1 900         |                 | 2017           | Balanca h/d                        |              | 2,000           |       |
|          | Sept 1 2018                         | Balance b/d                           | 1 800         |                 | Sept 1 2018    | Balance b/d                        |              | 2 000           |       |
|          | Aug 31                              | Drawings (1) Interest on drawings (1) | 12 000<br>960 | 16 000<br>1 280 |                | Interest on capital (1) Salary (1) | 6 000        | 4 000<br>15 000 |       |
|          |                                     | Balance c/d                           |               | 11 640          |                | Profit share (1) Balance c/d       | 7 920<br>840 | 7 920           |       |
|          | 2010                                |                                       | 14 760        | 28 920          | 2049           |                                    | 14 760       | 28 920          |       |
|          | 2018<br>Sept 1                      | Balance b/d (1)OF                     | 840           |                 | 2018<br>Sept 1 | Balance b/d (1)OF                  |              | 11 640          |       |

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| Question | A   | nswer           |                    |   | Marks |  |
|----------|---|-----------------|--------------------|---|-------|--|
| 5(c)     | Mark and Ella<br>Statement of Financial Position at 31 August 2018                      |                 |                    |   |       |  |
|          | Assets  | \$              | \$                 | \$  |       |  |
|          | Non-current assets  |                 |                    |   |       |  |
|          | Premises at cost<br>Fixtures & equipment at book value<br>Motor vehicles at book value  |                 | -<br>-             | 165 000<br>24 400<br>14 750<br>204 150 <b>(1)</b>       |       |  |
|          | Current assets Inventory Trade receivables Less Provision for doubtful debts Petty cash | ,-              | 16 800<br>420<br>- | 14 950<br>16 380 <b>(1)</b><br>150<br>31 480 <b>(1)</b> |       |  |
|          | Total assets  |                 | _                  | 235 630   |       |  |
|          | Capital and liabilities  Capital accounts   | Mark<br>120 000 | Ella<br>80 000     | Total<br>200 000 <b>(1)</b>                             |       |  |
|          | Current accounts  | (840)           | 11 640             | 10 800 <b>(1) OF</b>                                    |       |  |
|          |   | ,               |                    | 210 800   |       |  |
|          | Current liabilities<br>Trade payables<br>Bank overdraft                                 |                 | -<br>-             | 19 240<br>5 590<br>24 830 <b>(1)</b>                    |       |  |
|          | Total capital and liabilities   |                 | _                  | 235 630   |       |  |

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| Question | Answer  | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 5(d)     | Ella has higher drawings so higher interest/Mark has lower drawings so lower interest  Present agreement may discourage Ella from taking excessive drawings  Not charging interest on drawings will reduce Mark's share of the profits  Or other suitable comments  Any 2 comments (1) each   | 2     |
| 5(e)     | What profit share he would get Whether interest on capital is allowed/interest on drawings is charged Whether he would get a partnership salary Comparison of present income with possible income if a partner Whether capital would have to be invested Responsibilities compared to those he now has Will be responsible for the debts of the business The capital employed/value of the business Profitability of the business Prospects for the future Or other suitable considerations Any 2 considerations (1) each | 2     |

| Question | Answer  | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 6(a)     | Total of the direct materials, direct labour and direct expenses  | 1     |
| 6(b)     | Indirect factory wages, factory rent, factory insurance, depreciation of factory machinery, repair of factory machinery, etc.  Any 2 factory overheads (1) each | 2     |
| 6(c)     | 36 500 × 20% = 7300 <b>(1)</b>  | 1     |

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| Question | Answer  | Marks |
|----------|---|-------|
| 6(d)     | Long term loan Mortgage Admit a partner Form a limited company Government grant Or other suitable source of finance Any 2 sources (1) each  | 2     |
| 6(e)     | S   S   S   S   S   S   S   S   S   S   | 4     |
| 6(f)     | Gross profit increases by only \$620 <b>OF</b> May not be worthwhile if the gross profit only increases by this amount Interest may have to be paid on any money borrowed May not be able to obtain the necessary finance The figures provided are only estimates Costs of materials and labour may increase by more than estimated Customers may demand further price reductions May not be able to sell additional output <b>Or other relevant disadvantages Any 4 disadvantages (1) each</b> | 4     |

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