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Paper 1 English Legal System

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1 hour 30 minutes



You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer seven questions in total: Section A: answer all questions. Section B: answer two questions.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

Section A

Answer **all** questions.

1	Identify one criminal offence and one category of civil law.	[2]
2	Identify two types of case a Magistrate might hear.	[2]
3	Identify five rights of a suspect detained at a police station.	[5]
4	Describe two tracks to which cases might be allocated in the civil courts.	[6]

5 Discuss the advantages of the selection of judges by the Judicial Appointments Commission (JAC). [10]

Section **B**

Answer two questions.

6 Most English law is made through delegated legislation in the form of statutory instruments.

	(a)	Describe how statutory instruments are made and controlled.	[10]
	(b)	Discuss the advantages of delegated legislation.	[15]
7	(a)	Explain the role of the Law Commission.	[10]
	(b)	Assess the effectiveness of the Law Commission.	[15]
8	(a)	Describe the different ways in which the prosecution and defence can appeal a decision the Crown Court.	on of [10]

(b) Assess the difficulties for the defence when appealing a decision of the Crown Court. [15]

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