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General Comments

Most scripts submitted for this paper were of a high standard.

Comments on Individual Units

SPRING 2015

Document 1: The letter was usually produced very well. A few candidates omitted the date and so incurred a fault. The word 'meantime' was sometimes keyed as two words, which is incorrect.

Document 2: The document caused few problems. Some candidates failed to use initial capitals in all cases where they were requested. There was some confusion over the new line instruction. 'New line' means that there should be no clear line, whereas the instruction 'paragraph' indicates that there should be a clear line in single line spacing.

Document 3: This notice was often produced with no errors. Most faults incurred were as a result of poor proof-reading. Some candidates were unfamiliar with the common phrase 'in lieu of'.

SUMMER 2015

Document 1: The letter was usually presented very accurately. A few candidates were unfamiliar with the word 'arrear' and incurred a fault for misspelling. There were few other problems.

Document 2: This document proved to be straightforward for most candidates. A few failed to use initial capitals in all cases where they were requested and incurred faults for this. There were some misspellings of the verb 'affect'.

Document 3: This form presented few problems. Candidates are reminded that they should not make any changes to the form template, including the instruction for deletion at the bottom of the form.

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