

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

**LEVEL 3 CERTIFICATES OF PROFESSIONAL
 COMPETENCE**

05609

**UNIT 5 MANAGING NATIONAL ROAD PASSENGER TRANSPORT
 OPERATIONS**

FRIDAY 3 JUNE 2011

12.45 PM – 2.45 PM

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Fill in all the boxes below. Use **BLOCK LETTERS**

CENTRE DETAILS

CENTRE NUMBER	CENTRE NAME

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CANDIDATE DETAILS

SURNAME or FAMILY NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIALS OF OTHER FORENAMES	CENTRE CANDIDATE NUMBER

Do not open this booklet until told to do so by the invigilator.

Answer **ALL** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided on the question paper. If you need any extra space to continue your answers, additional paper is provided at the back of this booklet (pages 12 - 15). Ask the invigilator if you need further additional sheets of paper. If you need to use additional paper, the question number must be inserted beside each answer.

Do **all** calculations and rough work in this booklet. Cross out any work you do not wish to have marked.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

This qualification paper is to be used together with the associated scenario provided.

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part question.

You may use diagrams wherever they will help to answer a question.

You may use a non-programmable calculator.

You may use a dictionary.

For candidates taking the examination in Northern Ireland, the appropriate term is marked in brackets. This should be ignored by all other candidates.

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- c) State **FOUR** documents that will be required to accompany the application form to operate the vehicles at the new depot.

(4 marks)

4 Using information from the scenario showing all of your workings, calculate

a) the weekly fuel budget for the 49-seat coach fleet.

(4 marks)

b) the total cost of operating a 70-seat bus for one week (7 days).

(6 marks)

SECTION B

- 5 a) Using the personnel information shown in the scenario, draw up a company organisation chart. Abbreviations from the scenario may be used.

(8 marks)

- b) Identify and explain **TWO** benefits to RSA staff of having copies of the organisation chart.

(4 marks)

6 Jim is considering buying or leasing new buses for local services. Identify and explain:

- a) **TWO** advantages of leasing the new vehicles.

(4 marks)

- b) **TWO** advantages of buying the new vehicles.

(4 marks)

8 You have been asked to consider recruiting drivers for the Bangor depot. Jim has stated that drivers must have entitlement to drive the minibuses from the existing fleet as well as the vehicles to be used at Bangor.

a) Complete the table printed below.

1	2	3
Vehicle	Minimum driver age permitted	Minimum licence category required
70-seat open top bus used on regular service with route length not exceeding of 45 km		
10-seat minibus		
35-seat single deck buses used for regular services exceeding 50 km route length		
7-seat people carrier		

(8 marks)

b) State the **MINIMUM** driving licence category required for drivers of the Routemaster and the restrictions that would apply.

(3 marks)

c) You are investigating the rumour about a driver who may be disqualified. Explain **TWO** actions you will take to ensure that this driver is not currently banned from driving.

(2 marks)

