

**Question/Answer Booklet**

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**Examination Details:**

<b>Paper Title:</b>	<b>March 2025 Series P2 (Passenger Transport) Case Study</b>
<b>Paper No:</b>	<b>PCS0325S</b>
<b>Date of Examination:</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> March 2025 1300 - 1515</b>

**Instructions to the candidate - to be read before the examination.**

**Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes**

**You must have:**

- The case study.
- This question/answer booklet.

**You may use:**

- A calculator.
- A dictionary.
- Any permitted written materials.

**Instructions:**

- Use black ink.
- Complete your name below in capital letters and include your date of birth and signature.
- Complete centre name and candidate number
- Use the case study to answer all the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If you need extra space, use the lined page(s) at the end of this booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Additional paper may be used if required but you must clearly show your name, date of birth and question number(s).
- Answer all the questions.
- Do all calculations and rough work on the following pages. Cross out any work you do not wish to have marked.

**Information:**

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets ().
- This document has 10 pages.
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<b>Q1</b>	
<b>Q2</b>	
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<b>Q6</b>	
<b>Total =</b>	

1. The directors of Walvingham Transport plc (WT) have decided to expand the business by entering the coach transport market. They will lease two 49-seat coaches, as described in the case study.

(a) Give the minimum type of operator licence for which WT should apply (if any) for the Walvingham operating centre and give the minimum number of passenger vehicles to be approved there.

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[2 marks]

(b) Give the minimum type of operator licence for which WT should apply (if any) for the Leisfield operating centre and give the minimum number of passenger vehicles to be approved there.

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[2 marks]

(c) Give **THREE** documents that WT will have to submit to the Traffic Commissioners' central licensing team in support of its application(s) for operator licence(s).

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[3 marks]

(d) Give **TWO** types of employees that WT will have to employ in order to operate the 49-seat coaches.

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[2 marks]

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3. WT is considering a proposed new coach excursion to Disneyland Paris, as described in the case study. Use the information provided in the case study to calculate the following:

**Note:** You **MUST** show all your workings in all parts of this question.

- (a) Calculate the total distance that the 49-seat coach will cover on each excursion to Paris, returning to the Walvingham operating centre.

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[1 mark]

- (b) Calculate the costing **rate per Km** to be used for running costs for one 49-seat coach.

Cost item	Workings out	Rate per Km
Tyres		
Fuel		
Maintenance		
<b>Total running costs per Km</b>		

[4 marks]

- (c) Calculate the total cost of each excursion to Paris, returning to the Walvingham operating centre.

<b>Cost item</b>	<b>Workings out</b>	<b>Cost for each excursion to Paris and return</b>
<b>Running costs</b>		
<b>Driver costs</b>		
<b>Standing costs</b>		
<b>Road tolls</b>		
<b>Ferry, Paris hotel &amp; Disneyland Paris tickets</b>		
<b>Total</b>		

**[6 marks]**





6. WT is to review its insurance policies to ensure that they cover the new coach operations. Current policies include comprehensive motor insurance and employers liability.

Give **FOUR** non-compulsory insurance policies that WT should have in place, to cover the proposed coach operations.

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**[4 marks]**

**ADDITIONAL ANSWER SPACE**

If additional answer space is required, you should use the following lined page(s). The question number(s) must be clearly shown in the margin(s).

A vertical line on the left side of the page is followed by 25 horizontal dotted lines, providing a ruled area for writing answers.

