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 **3.25** Listen to four extracts. For each question, circle the correct answers (a–c).

- 1 What is the speaker's main purpose?
 - a to offer the passengers a drink or snack
 - b to warn the passengers against standing up
 - c to inform the passengers that they will take off late
- 2 It is the speaker's opinion, not a fact, that
 - a nobody told him about the delay at check-in.
 - b staff in the airport knew the reason for the delay.
 - c a number of passengers got cross when they saw how long they'd have to wait for the flight.
- 3 What happened to the woman at the airport?
 - a She caused her plane to take off late.
 - b Her plane took off late because a fellow traveller wasn't on board.
 - c She was asleep when they called her flight.
- 4 Where is this announcement made?
 - a on a train
 - b in an airport
 - c in an aeroplane

2 Read the text. Match sentences A–I with gaps 1–7 in the text. There are two extra sentences.

My trip to Delhi

Saturday

After two flights, I finally arrived in Delhi. ¹___ It didn't take long, and I was soon driving through the streets to my small hotel. The owner was really kind and friendly. ²___ It was very clean and comfortable. I was really tired, so I read some of my tourist guide to India. ³___

Sunday

I got up at about 8 o'clock and went down for breakfast. ⁴___ Afterwards, I went out into Delhi. I found a taxi and went to my first tourist spot: the Shri Lakshmi Narain Temple. ⁵___ Inside, I found a guide and learned a lot about the history of the beautiful building. After this, I went to Raj Ghat. This is the last resting place of Mahatma Gandhi. The gardens were very green and there were lots of trees, but the fountains were dry because of the heat. After this I was very tired and hot. ⁶___ Later, when I felt better, I went for dinner at a restaurant. I had a dosa, which is a kind of pancake with curried potatoes and onions. Tomorrow, I'm going to visit Humayun's Tomb and the museum. I'm going to go to the markets and do some shopping too. ⁷___. Then I'll probably catch a flight to Varanasi. It's a very famous historical place. I'll let you know what it's like!

- A It's going to be hotter tomorrow.
- B I think I'll stay in Delhi for a few days.
- C I didn't feel like exploring any more, so I went back to my hotel for a rest.
- D He chatted for a bit and then showed me my room.
- E That's why he met me at the airport.
- F I took off my shoes and went in with the other tourists.
- G I collected my luggage with no problems, left the airport and tried to find a taxi.
- H It was a delicious meal of eggs, Indian breads and chutneys.
- I I fell asleep in the middle of an article about street food.

3. Read the article and decide if the statements 1–8 are true (T) or false (F).

PLACES TO VISIT: CHURCHILL, HOME OF POLAR BEARS

There are no roads into Churchill, so access to this place is by rail or air. Air service is available all year round. Normally, there are three or four flights a week from Winnipeg. In addition, there are extra flights in the summer months. Trains run three times a week from Winnipeg and the journey takes two days.

If it's polar bears you are looking for, this is the place to come! Starting in the autumn, a large number of polar bears migrate from their summer places to their winter fishing grounds and their route goes directly through the town of Churchill. The summer months are when whales make their way into the Churchill River from Hudson Bay to find cooler water. Other wildlife in the area include wolves, Arctic foxes and seals.

Most visitors to Churchill stay for about three days but for visitors with a special interest, such as the bears, a five-day stay is usual. You should book rooms several months ahead, especially in summer. Hotels and bed & breakfasts get fully booked up in the polar bear season. A special place to stay is the 'Polar Inn' on the other side of the Churchill River. Here you can see the bears passing right outside your front door.

The motel and hotel dining rooms serve a good variety of dishes from regional to classic. Wild meat, such as ox meat, is on offer in some of the restaurants together with local fish, mushrooms, and wild fruit jams. Prices in these places are not generally cheap in Churchill but travellers are very satisfied.

- 1 You can reach Churchill by plane in the summer months only. ____
- 2 It takes two days to get from Churchill to Winnipeg. ____
- 3 People visit Churchill because they want to watch wildlife. ____
- 4 Polar bears can only be seen in Churchill in the summer months. ____
- 5 During a five-day visit, you can see both polar bears and whales. ____
- 6 Booking a room in advance is recommended, especially in the summer. ____
- 7 The 'Polar Inn' is a great place to watch polar bears. ____
- 8 Local restaurants serve a variety of international dishes. ____