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READING COMPREHENSION

Select the correct answer by typing **a-b-c** or **d** in the box.

1. What is the primary reason police departments use video cameras in public places?

- a) To monitor traffic patterns
- b) To identify criminals
- c) To advertise public safety programs
- d) To observe social behaviors

2. According to the text, why do businesses install surveillance cameras?

- a) To deter theft by employees and customers
- b) To ensure compliance with labor laws
- c) To enhance customer satisfaction
- d) To provide evidence in case of natural disasters

3. What example of government surveillance is mentioned in the text?

- a) Monitoring private phone calls
- b) Searching through e-mails and social media posts
- c) Tracking people's locations through GPS
- d) Listening to conversations in public parks

4. What does Katelyn believe about email surveillance?

- a) It is as acceptable as public surveillance
- b) It is a necessary tool for national security
- c) It invades private communication and is unjustifiable
- d) It should only be used for detecting terrorism

5. What action does Winston suggest to protect privacy rights?

- a) Lobbying for stricter privacy laws
- b) Avoiding all forms of social media
- c) Voting for privacy-conscious candidates and boycotting spying companies
- d) Filing lawsuits against government surveillance programs

6. What famous quote does Linda reference, and why?

- a) George Orwell's warning about government control, to highlight the risks of surveillance
- b) Thomas Jefferson's defense of liberty, to argue against email monitoring
- c) Benjamin Franklin's statement about liberty and safety, to emphasize her opposition to constant surveillance
- d) Martin Luther King Jr.'s vision of justice, to critique public surveillance

7. How does Katelyn differentiate between public surveillance and email monitoring?

- a) She believes both are equally invasive
- b) She sees public surveillance as acceptable because it occurs in open spaces, unlike private emails
- c) She feels public surveillance is unnecessary but tolerable compared to email monitoring
- d) She considers email monitoring harmless compared to public surveillance

8. What underlying question does the text pose about surveillance?

- a) Should businesses be more transparent about their surveillance practices?
- b) Is surveillance technology advancing too rapidly?
- c) Is the balance between safety and privacy justified?
- d) Should national governments focus more on protecting public spaces?