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The end of money?

In 1661, Sweden became the first European country to use banknotes. Now it could be one of the first countries to stop (1) _____ cash. In most Swedish cities, buses don't take any cash. (2), _____ you pay for your ticket by card or mobile phone before you get on. Some businesses only take cards and there are banks (3) _____ any notes or coins. However, not all Swedes like the idea. Elderly people, who may need some help with the technology, say their lives are now harder. Small businesses are also unhappy because they have to pay a little money to the bank each time somebody pays them using a card.

It's not just richer countries that are becoming cashless. Many countries in the developing world have found that mobile phones are perfect for (4) _____ money. For example, in Kenya, only a few people (under 20%) have a bank account. On the other hand, lots of Kenyans (over 95%) have a mobile phone. Now, with a mobile banking system called M-Pesa, people can use credit on their phones (5) _____ in shops, pay their bills and their children's school fees, and receive their salary.

Question 1: A. to use B. use C. useful D. using

Question 2: A. Additionally B. Instead C. Therefore D. However

Question 3:

A. which don't deal with B. where don’t deal with

C. which don’t deal to D. where don’t deal to

Question 4: A. translating B. transmitting C. transferring D. reducing

Question 5:

A. to pay for things B. paying with things

C. paying of things D. to pay to things

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