TASK 1

- **In this section you are going to hear a true story about Keith McVey, a mailman in the US.**
- **Your task is to write the letter of the correct answer into the boxes on the right.**
- **First, you will have some time to study the task, and then we will play the whole recording in one piece.**
- **Then, after a short pause, you will hear the recording again, but this time we will play the text in shorter sections to give you enough time to write down your answers.**
- **At the end, you will have some more time to check your work.**

✓ *Keith McVey ....*
A) is admired by a lot of people.
B) was a rock star.
C) has his picture on an office wall.

A

1. Keith McVey…
A) is in his late fifties.
B) has saved lives while delivering mail.
C) can be easily recognized by his clothes.

2. Twenty years ago, Keith McVey managed to…
A) talk a boy out of a suicide attempt.
B) keep an injured person warm until the ambulance arrived.
C) call an ambulance in time to save somebody's life.

3. Two years ago, Keith McVey … before jumping into the lake.
A) got rid of his boots
B) carefully put his bundle of mail on the ground
C) calmed down the girl's sisters

4. Keith McVey …
A) was an exceptionally good swimmer.
B) was seriously injured during the incident.
C) went on to do his job in wet clothes after the incident.

5. Last week, Keith McVey…
A) heard a cry for help from a vehicle.
B) saw an unconscious man lying by the side of the road.
C) saw a truck driver lose consciousness.

6. Keith McVey …
A) didn't know anything about CPR.
B) performed CPR on the man with the help of a woman.
C) helped a woman who performed CPR on the man.

7. Keith McVey …
A) felt pain in his shoulders after the incident.
B) almost decided to go home after the ambulance left.
C) didn't want his colleagues to do him a favour.

That is the end of Task 1.

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TASK 2

- **In this section, you will hear a radio interview about the famous Kennedy Nixon television debate.**
- **Your task will be to complete the sentences with <u>no more than three words</u> in each gap.**
- **First, you will have some time to look at the task, and then we will play the whole recording in one piece.**
- **Then, after a short pause, you will hear the recording again, but this time we will play the text in shorter sections to give you enough time to write down your answers.**

✓ *Peter Goldman is a(n) ……political advisor…… .*

8. According to Peter Goldman, the most important thing about a politician's political program is that it should be ……..……..…… but …….. .

9. Nixon thought he would win because Kennedy was both …… and …… .

10. Nixon was the winner of the first debate according to the people who followed the debate ……..…… .

11. Ted Rogers asked Nixon to ……..……. during the debate.

12. Nixon had spent two weeks in hospital because he had seriously …… …… .

13. It was a bad idea for Nixon to wear ……..……. because it didn't provide any contrast with the background.

14. Nixon never looked ……..……., which made him look insecure.

15. Before the debate Kennedy had been ……..…… in California.

16. The way Kennedy behaved made the viewers think he was giving them ……. …… .

That is the end of Task 2.

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TASK 3

- **In this section you will hear some information about the first appearance of a now famous singer, Susan Boyle.**
- **Your task will be to decide whether the following statements are true, false or we do not know because the text does not say, and write the appropriate letter in the boxes on the right. Write A if the statement is true, write B if the statement is false, and write C if the text does not say.**
- **First, you will have some time to look at the task, and then we will play the whole recording in one piece.**
- **Then, after a short pause, you will hear the recording again, but this time we will play the text in shorter sections to give you enough time to write down your answers.**
- **A = TRUE B = FALSE C = THE TEXT DOES NOT SAY**

✓ *Susan had a steady job.* **B**

17. The show's host helped Susan with encouraging questions before her performance. ☐

18. At first, it was only the judges who were amazed by Susan's performance. ☐

19. The speaker says that it was her appearance that deceived the audience. ☐

20. According to the speaker, the feelings we experienced were all positive. ☐

21. The speaker herself has watched the YouTube video many times. ☐

22. According to the speaker, we all secretly believe that we could become stars. ☐

23. Susan started singing 35 years ago. ☐

24. Fred O'Neil has coached a lot of famous stars. ☐

25. It was Susan's mother who encouraged her to enter the contest. ☐

26. Susan's mother was very proud to see her daughter win. ☐

That is the end of Task 3, and also the end of the Listening Exam.

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