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Time 3 hours

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**YLA1/01**

**Law**

**International Advanced Level**

**PAPER 1: Underlying Principles of Law and the English  
Legal System**

**You do not need any other materials.**

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 100.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.
- Good luck with your examination.

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**Answer ALL questions.**

**Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

**1** (a) State **four** stages a bill must go through to become an Act of Parliament.

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(b) Analyse how judges can interpret statutes when deciding a case.

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(c) Assess the effectiveness of the rules of statutory interpretation.

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**(Total for Question 1 = 20 marks)**



2 (a) Describe **two** types of delegated legislation.

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(b) Explain the advantages of delegated legislation.

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(c) Assess how effectively the courts control delegated legislation.

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(Total for Question 2 = 20 marks)



3 (a) State the role of lay magistrates in summary trials.

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(b) Explain the selection of a jury in a Crown Court trial.

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(c) Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using lay people in the criminal justice system.

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4 (a) State the meaning of mediation in civil dispute resolution.

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(b) Explain how arbitration can be used to settle disputes.

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(c) Evaluate the effectiveness of the different types of civil dispute resolution.

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5 Evaluate if law should follow morality or whether morality should follow the law.

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