



STATUTES (GIM) EXAMINATION
Thursday, May 24th, 2012
9:00 A.M. - Noon

TIME ALLOWED:	Three (3) hours
# OF QUESTIONS:	Nine (9)
TOTAL MARKS:	80
PASS:	65%

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: This is a closed book examination. No aids are allowed.

1. There are nine (9) questions. Please ensure that you have a complete copy of the examination.
2. Note the number of marks for each question before compiling your answers and allocate your time accordingly.
3. Place your exam registration number at the top right-hand corner of **each page** of your answers and on the front of the examination booklet. **DO NOT** write your name on or in the book(s).
4. The answer to each question must begin on a new page, however questions may be answered in any order.
5. Reference each response to its question number, including subsection.
6. Write only on the right hand side of the examination book. You may wish to use the left (unruled) side for calculations, etc., however anything written on the unruled side will not be considered during marking.
7. Do not write in pencil.
8. This examination must be returned to the invigilator with your answer book(s).

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Question 1**15 marks**

The Council of the Association of Ontario Land Surveyors must establish several committees. Name five (5), state the composition of the committee and give a brief description of each committee's function. (3 marks each, 15 marks total)

Question 2**12 marks**

- a) List and describe three "duties" as an employer under the Occupational Health and Safety Act. (5 marks)
- b) When is it mandatory to select a Health & Safety Representative? What is his or her function? (5 marks)
- c) What penalties are associated with non-compliance? (2 marks)

Question 3**10 marks**

- a) By what authority can the Registrar of the AOLS issue a Certificate of Registration in a branch of professional surveying other than cadastral? (2 marks)
- b) For a Licence, a Certificate of Registration and a Certificate of Authorization, provide the following:
 - i) Describe each, and state its purpose. (3 marks)
 - ii) Who may apply for each? (3 marks)
- c) What are the requirements for obtaining a Certificate of Authorization? (2 marks)

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Question 4**10 Marks**

- a) There are several clauses that set out the meaning of professional misconduct for Ontario Land Surveyors. Briefly describe three (3) of these clauses. (6 marks)
- b) There are two (2) clauses that define incompetence for Ontario Land Surveyors. Briefly describe both. (4 marks)

Question 5**10 marks**

Under the authority of the *Surveyors Act*, Council may pass by-laws relating to the administrative and domestic affairs of the Association. Section 8 of the Act lists 27 areas that the by-laws may cover.

- a) List six areas that are being used by the Association. (6 marks)
- b) Who must approve the by-law? (1 mark)
- c) If a new by-law or a revision to a by-law is required, outline the procedure to implement the new by-law. (3 marks)

Question 6**5 marks**

Electronic records are common place these days and may be admissible in court.

- a) What Act governs the admissibility? (1 Mark)
- b) What is integrity of an electronic record and the precautions necessary to be made admissible in court? (4 Marks)

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Question 7**6 marks**

With reference to the *Discriminatory Business Practices Act (1990)*:

- a) Describe three practices that are deemed discriminatory by this Act. (1 mark each)
- b) What are the duties of the "Director" as defined in the Act? (2 marks)
- c) When shall a discriminatory business practice be reported? (1 mark)

Question 8**5 marks**

Amendments to the *Occupational Health & Safety Act* that took effect in June 2010 require that every employer prepare and maintain a workplace violence policy and a workplace harassment policy. In addition, programs are required to be developed and maintained by the employer to implement these policies.

Upon receiving your commission as an OLS, you are hired to manage an office of 15 employees. With reference to the Act and the present policies and programs at your current place of employment, identify the items that shall be included in a workplace violence program and a workplace harassment program.

Question 9**7 marks**

With respect to Ontario Regulation 216/10 of the *Surveyors Act*, in addition to the requirements of Part I of the regulation, when performing geographic information management for a project, Part VI has five (5) requirements that a professional member must do.

- a) List 3 of the 5 requirements? (5 marks)
- b) Give the definition of a "professional member" under this regulation. (2 marks)