Epreuve du 1er groupe

A N S W E R   K E Y

I READING COMPREHENSION   (08 marks)
A) True or False   (04 marks : 1 x 4)
   1 : False :"This worldwide system will ensure complementarity with the current GPs system"

   2 :True :"Galileo provides information [….] in many sectors such as transport (route searching)"

   3 : False :"This technology, which has been developed over the last thirty years or so."

   4 : False : "This technology [….], essentially for military purposes originally,"

B) Completing sentences   (01 mark : 0.5 x 2)
5. Long ago, people could find their way by looking to the heavens.
   Long ago, people could find their way by observing the sun or the stars.

6. Today, with satellite navigation, people can determine precisely their position and the location of any moving or stationary object.. (consider as good any meaningful production)

C) Reference   (01.5 mark : 0.5 x 3)
7. this (enables) : the emission from satellites of signals indicating the time extremely precisely.
8. this tradition : looking to the heavens to find one's way
9. their (position) : anyone with a receiver.

D) Information Transfer   (01.5 mark : 0.25 x 6)
10. European Union ; 11. European Space agency 12. 30 satellites ; 13. ground stations
14. accurate positioning ; 15. guidance and control

II LINGUISTIC COPETENCE   (07 marks)
E) Rewriting exercise   (04 marks : 1 x 4)
16. a. "can recognize signals from any particular satellite".
    b. Signals from any particular satellite can be recognized by the ground receiver.
17. b. Unless you use the Galileo system, you can't ascertain your precise position.
18. b. The GPS system is not as recent as the Galileo system.
19. b. Not only will Galileo offer everybody satellite positioning services but it will also guarantee reliability.

F) Questions   (01 mark:0.5 x 2)
20. Whose initiative is Galileo?
21. How many professional applications will this new system provide ?

G) Link – words   (02 marks : 0.5 x 4)
22. whose
23. thanks to
24. However
25. as a result

II-WRITING   (05 marks)
Content : **3 marks**   cohesion : **1 mark**   Grammar :**1 mark.**