**ECONOMY 3 – TEST 10**

**Part – Incomplete Sentences**

**101.** We are known for our outstanding \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to customer service and the unsurpassed quality of our products.  
(A) commitment  
(B) commit  
(C) committed  
(D) committing

**102.** The board of directors decided to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the prices of our software products because of unexpectedly high distribution costs.  
(A) increase  
(B) remain  
(C) comment  
(D) construct

**103.** The regional sales manager has asked Mr. Johnson to send \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the final report of the quarterly sales figures by the end of the week.  
(A) she  
(B) her  
(C) hers  
(D) herself

**104.** XTO Energy Inc. has grown from its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in 1986 to one of the nation's largest independent oil and gas producers.  
(A) cause  
(B) solution  
(C) growth  
(D) inception

**105.** In November, the unemployment rate fell \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2.3 percent, its lowest level in five years.  
(A) to  
(B) at  
(C) in  
(D) on

**106.** Mr. Graves \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ employed by the same company in various capacities since 1988.  
(A) is  
(B) has  
(C) has been  
(D) could be

**107.** Dong Chan Lim has directed the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for all new employees at the Goldendew Jewelry Company since last year.  
(A) orientation  
(B) occupation  
(C) position  
(D) assertion

**108.** The maintenance process of Samsung Motors is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ monitored by our managers and customers.  
(A) close  
(B) closer  
(C) closely  
(D) closest

**109.** Two forms of currently valid identification, including \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a driver’s license or a passport, must be presented.  
(A) neither  
(B) whether  
(C) either  
(D) both

**110.** Following are some specific factors that should be considered for a better understanding of the company’s financial \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) conditionally  
(B) condition  
(C) conditioned  
(D) conditional

**111.** The manager has asked Mr. Lim to submit \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ final report on the sales of the new washing machine by April 30.  
(A) he  
(B) him  
(C) his  
(D) himself

**112.** The Associated Press interviewed six people who restored power to their homes on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, two of whom showed the AP how it is done.  
(A) them  
(B) their own  
(C) themselves  
(D) they

**113.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the *Asian Times,* each year thousands of people get rich by investing in real estate.  
(A) Even if  
(B) According to  
(C) As though  
(D) Now that

**114.** We provide outstanding support and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ training opportunities for our  
employees.  
(A) excellently  
(B) excellent  
(C) excels  
(D) excelled

**115.** Tony, AFIT's Founder and CEO, said he is pleased with the results of the recent survey \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ customer satisfaction.  
(A) regard  
(B) regards  
(C) regarded  
(D) regarding

**116.** Please read and understand the operation manual enclosed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you install your machine.  
(A) prior  
(B) near  
(C) before  
(D) past

**117.** Most of the customers indicated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the instructions for assembling our products are excessively complicated.  
(A) that  
(B) what  
(C) these  
(D) whose

**118.** Our\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ consultants make the effort to understand your business completely  
before recommending an appropriate solution for your needs.  
(A) conditional  
(B) requisite  
(C) secured  
(D) qualified

**119.** Our technical support will be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ available to aid our customers in using the SchoolWeb software.  
(A) continuous  
(B) continuity  
(C) continue  
(D) continuously

**120.** Earlier this year, *Automotive News* named Mr. Sato its Person of the Year for his leadership during \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ contract negotiations with automakers.  
(A) noted  
(B) delicate  
(C) talented  
(D) proficient

**121.** Tim Casey will be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of organizing our events this year with the assistance of his team members.  
(A) in place  
(B) management  
(C) leadership  
(D) in charge

**122.** Installation of the maple floor is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ complete for the Central Hall and second floor galleries.  
(A) nearly  
(B) daily  
(C) busily  
(D) early

**123.** At the Calgary Public Library, you should speak quietly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ avoid disturbing  
other people near you.  
(A) in order to  
(B) even as  
(C) before  
(D) otherwise

**124.** All preparations are in the final phase and as soon as we get permission from CDA, the construction of the new \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ will begin.  
(A) build  
(B) builder  
(C) to build  
(D) building

**125.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ houses are now more energy efficient than before, overall residential energy use is rising due to the increase in population.  
(A) Thus  
(B) Until now  
(C) Although  
(D) Or else

**126.** To keep up with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ operating costs, Miami-Dade Transit will increase Metrobus and Metrorail fares on May 1.  
(A) uplifting  
(B) uprising  
(C) lifting  
(D) rising

**127.** The CEO has requested that the board of directors review the budget proposal for the next year \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) attentive  
(B) attentions  
(C) more attentive  
(D) more attentively

**128.** A federal report \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ yesterday stated that the nation's overall economy was  
growing at the slowest pace it has been in more than five years.  
(A) controlled  
(B) managed  
(C) achieved  
(D) released

**129.** The Department of Public Safety \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to a newly renovated facility at 200 Elm Drive, near Baker Rink, at the end of next month.  
(A) was relocated  
(B) to relocate  
(C) will relocate  
(D) relocated

**130.** iSoft has seen its share price fall in recent months as a result of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ problems with its $6-billion contract to upgrade NHS's systems.  
(A) ongoing  
(B) dissolved  
(C) restrained  
(D) considerate

**131.** Henry Stewart Conference Studies has arranged a special room rate with MEG Hotel and a limited number of rooms have been \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for attendees on a first come, first served basis.  
(A) reserved  
(B) placed  
(C) collected  
(D) remained

**132.** Even though we spent millions of dollars on marketing and advertising, sales of  
our new product have been \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .  
(A) disappoint  
(B) disappointed  
(C) disappointment  
(D) disappointing

**133.** A six-member team was sent to restructure the ailing company and they did it remarkably \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in four years.  
(A) yet  
(B) even  
(C) partly  
(D) well

**134.** To\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a disabled-parking permit, you must fill in an application form and send  
it to your medical practitioner to be completed.  
(A) achieve  
(B) allow  
(C) remind  
(D) obtain

**135.** All participants will be asked to complete a brief survey\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the workshops as part of the registration process.  
(A) prior to  
(B) advanced  
(C) previous  
(D) in addition to

**136.** Minor problems in the design of our new music player could not have been solved  
without the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of our new vice president, Dong Chan Lim.  
(A) contribution  
(B) contributor  
(C) contributed  
(D) contribute

**137.** The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the presentation should be between 10-15 minutes, and you will also turn in a one-page summary of your presentation.  
(A) instant  
(B) attention  
(C) specification  
(D) length

**138.** Since office equipment \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ outdated so quickly, many companies are forced to spend a lot of money purchasing new ones.  
(A) become  
(B) becomes  
(C) becoming  
(D) is becoming

**139.** When not in use, boats should be stored on the owner's property, and during winter months, boats should be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ secured to the dock.  
(A) originally  
(B) faintly  
(C) properly  
(D) moderately

**140.** The CSU Career Fair is mutually \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to both those seeking careers and those  
recruiting for prospective employees.  
(A) benefit  
(B) benefited  
(C) beneficial  
(D) beneficence

**Part 6 – Incomplete Texts**

***Questions 141-143 refer to the following memo.***

TO: All staff  
FROM: Information Technology Department  
SUBJECT: Internet use at work

The Internet is a wonderful resource which is full of information on a variety of subjects.  
Media Broadcasting is pleased to be able to offer Internet access to employees. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_,   
 **141.** (A) However  
 (B) Therefore  
 (C) In fact  
 (D) Moreover  
we must ask that use of the Internet during business hours be restricted to work-related  
research.  
Unlike some companies, Media Broadcasting does not disallow personal use of the  
Internet entirely. We believe that personal use of the Internet can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a person's  
 **142.** (A) entitle  
 (B) enforce  
 (C) enhance  
 (D) encompass  
knowledge and increase efficiency with work-related searches. As a result, Media  
Broadcasting allows personal use of our Internet connection \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ non-work hours.  
 **143.** (A) while  
 (B) during  
 (C) barring  
 (D) in addition to

Happy surfing!  
Please let me know if you have any questions.

***Questions 144-146 refer to the following letter.***

Dear Ms. Park,  
Thank you for ordering a Pinewood dresser kit. Pinewood kits are noted for their easy-to-read instructions and easy assembly.  
To ensure that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ customer is satisfied with their purchase, a Pinewood sales  
 **144.** (A) all  
 (B) each  
 (C) most  
 (D) some  
representative will be contacting you in the next few days to ask you to complete a survey.  
The survey will take less than five minutes and will allow us to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_furniture kits. I   
 **145.** (A) improve  
 (B) return  
 (C) repair  
 (D) remove  
hope you will be able to speak with our representative when he calls.  
For your further inspiration in interior decorating, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our latest catalog of Pinewood furniture kits.  
Sincerely,  
Samantha Gilmore  
Sales Manager

***Questions 147-149 refer to the following information.***

**Items Damaged in Shipping**We do our best to ensure that every package that leaves our warehouse is packed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to avoid damage.  
**147.** (A) prominently  
 (B) shortly  
 (C) approximately  
 (D) appropriately  
We ship using trustworthy companies like FedEx and UPS. Still, accidents can happen so  
we'll make it up to you.  
**What to do if your shipment arrives damaged**If any of the items in your shipment are damaged, you need to contact us within 10 days of receiving your package. Click here to find out \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to contact Neo Electronics'

**148.** (A) how  
 (B) why  
 (C) what  
 (D) who

Customer Service team.  
**What we'll need from you**  
We may have to ask you for some details about the damage if we're making a claim  
against the shipper for the damages. Please have the following information \_\_\_\_\_\_\_:

**149.** (A) by hand  
 (B) handy  
 (C) handful  
 (D) handiness  
• Part number of the parts received damaged ·  
• Model and serial number for the appliance  
• Details of the damage to the packaging and to the part

***Questions 150-152 refer to the following advertisement.***

PAA members are professional audiologists who are well trained and licensed to practice  
audiology within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. You can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on us for all of

**150.** (A) count  
 (B) impose  
 (C) operate  
 (D) estimate

the solutions to your hearing problems.  
In our All About Hearing section, we have information about hearing problems and hearing aids and you will be able to locate a PAA audiologist who will be helpful to your hearing problems.  
If you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_to join or renew your PAA membership, you can do it online in the Join  
**151.** (A) have liked  
 (B) will like  
 (C) should like  
 (D) would like  
PAA/Renew section.  
Join now if you're not a member! Read through the other sections if you or someone you  
know is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about hearing loss.  
 **152.** (A) concerning  
 (B) concerned  
 (C) concernment  
 (D) concerns