

1 Professional and Social Responsibility – 7

1.	<p>A project manager gathered data to perform earned value calculations on his project. He used the results to report to management that the project is under budget and on schedule. After reporting this information, he discovered the base figures he used in the calculations were incorrect, as they came from an old copy of the project file that had not been updated. What should he do now?</p> <p>A. He should contact management to make them aware of the error, give the correct information, and explain how he made the mistake.</p> <p>B. He should contact management and tell them to expect some changes in the next reporting period, and that things are starting to look gloomy.</p> <p>C. He should use the correct figures to calculate the information when it is time for the next report and ignore the fact that he reported incorrect information.</p> <p>D. He should tell management that the data he received from team members was incorrect and thus the report was not accurate.</p> <p>A</p>
2.	<p>A project manager is working with a vendor on a project when she learns one of the sellers has bribed a subcontractor to work on this project instead of fulfilling previous commitments to other projects. What should she do?</p> <p>A. She should report the offense to management and the project managers of the affected projects.</p> <p>B. She should not do anything because this is the vendor's problem. The project manager herself didn't do anything wrong.</p> <p>C. She should report this to other subcontractors so they know they could get more money from the vendor.</p> <p>D. She should resign from the project so as to remove herself from this type of activity, but keep it to herself rather than cause problems.</p> <p>A</p>
3.	<p>You are in the middle of a new product development project for your publicly traded company when you discover the project manager made a US \$3,000,000 payment that was not approved in accordance with your company. What you do?</p> <p>A. Contact your manager.</p> <p>B. Put the payment in an escrow account</p> <p>C. Bury the cost in the largest cost center available</p> <p>D. Ignore the payment</p> <p>A</p>
4.	<p>While staffing a project in another country, the project leader from that country comes to you with a suggested team consisting of members of the project leader's family. Your FIRST course of action should be to:</p> <p>A. Inquire if hiring through family lines is common practice in the project leader's country.</p> <p>B. Review the resumes of the individuals to see if they are qualified.</p> <p>C. Ask the project leader to provide additional names of people unrelated to him/her.</p> <p>D. Use a different project leader to prevent problems later in the project.</p> <p>A</p>

5.	<p>Your project needs a database software program. The client has given you this project to test your ability to deliver. It doesn't pay that much, but if you do well, you will likely get more projects from the client worth a lot more money. Your budget on the project doesn't allow you the money to buy this software. What is the best way to acquire the software?</p> <p>A. Get a copy from a friend and buy it for future projects if needed again.</p> <p>B. Order a copy from the company or an authorized reseller.</p> <p>C. Download a copy from a file sharing system.</p> <p>D. Use a demo copy.</p> <p>B</p>
6.	<p>A team member has come to you and reported that the work due today is going to be five weeks late. The team member has requested that you do not report this to Senior Management. What is your professional responsibility to the project?</p> <p>A. Issue a status report that does not contain this information.</p> <p>B. Report the status accurately and timely.</p> <p>C. The member has helped you so you won't report the slip, hoping it gets back on schedule.</p> <p>D. Wait until you have some good news to report with the bad news.</p> <p>B</p>
7.	<p>You are a Project Manager who is involved in the procurement of police cars and security equipment for the city government you work in. As negotiations begin between the city and the vendor, you realize that your brother works for this company but in a different department. What is your professional responsibility?</p> <p>A. Remain on the project, but remove yourself from the negotiations.</p> <p>B. Remain on the project, but help another Project Manager negotiate the contract.</p> <p>C. Remove yourself from the project.</p> <p>D. Because he works in a different department, you can remain on the project.</p> <p>C</p>