2 Kim, a sole trader, provided the following statement.

Statement of financial position at 30 September 2014

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Non-current assets Motor vehicles Equipment Fixtures and fittings	100 000 80 000 <u>172 000</u> <u>352 000</u>
Current assets Inventory Trade receivables	105 000 343 000 448 000
Total assets	800 000
Capital and liabilities Opening capital Add profit for the year Less Drawings	600 000 80 000 680 000 88 000 592 000
Current liabilities Trade payables Bank overdraft	192 000 16 000 208 000
Total capital and liabilities	800 000

Additional information

- 1 On 1 October 2014 Kim admitted Chan as a partner.
- **2** Goodwill was valued at \$120 000 but will not remain in the books of the partnership.
- 3 The profit sharing ratio was agreed at Kim 60% and Chan 40%.
- 4 Chan agreed to pay a cheque of \$160 000 to the partnership. In addition he introduced equipment valued at \$325 000 and inventory valued at \$26 000.

REQUIRED

(a)	Prepare the capital accounts of Kim and Chan at 1 October 2014.	
		 [10]

(b)	Prepare a statement of financial position for the partnership at 1 October 2014.
	[8]

(c)	State three advantages to Kim of forming a partnership.
	[3]
Ad	ditional information
Kim	has provided for doubtful debts at a rate of 2%.
Cha	an would like to change the existing rate of the provision to 5%.
RE	QUIRED
(d)	Explain why this change might be necessary.
	[5]

(e)	Calculate the difference in the provision for doubtful debts if the existing rate had changed to 5%.
	[2]
(f)	State how this change would affect the partnership's income statement and statement of financial position.
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