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https://www.100test.com/kao_ti2020/463/2021_2022_2007_E8_8B_B1_E8_AF_AD_c83_463217.htm Passage Twenty (NCB in

Interpol) The organization known to the world as Interpol has sometimes been described as an outfit of chisel-jawed gimlet-eyed crime fighters who put their lives in jeopardy every working hour. Less flatteringly, Interpol has also been described as a huge filing cabinet, stuffed with clerks choking on their own statistics. As with most generalities, there is some truth in both statements. There are, certainly, some grim battlers of crime to be found working with Interpol. There are, just as surely, those drones shuffling mountains of paper whose cheeks are sallow from indoor life. Consider the charisma of the name alone: INTERPOL, the international police force. Continents leaped in a single bound, oceans crossed in the space of a breath, villains watched by eyes that never sleep.

Surprisingly, a lot of it happens almost that way. Four groups coordinate and direct the activities of Interpol. One of them is the National Central Bureaus, or NCBs, bodies designated by the member nations to serve as their link with Interpol. These are the front-line troops, the action people. IN the United States, the Treasury Department is the National Central Bureau. In the United Kingdom, it is Scotland Yard. the Questura in Italy and the Melbourne City Police in Australia. Because police organization varies from country, the NCBs were established to act as the one special group to handle Interpol chores and unsure maximum

cooperation between nations. Each NCB is usually an official government body with police powers if a country has only one central police authority, that body becomes the National Centre Bureau. Of course, any service appointed as an NCB is bound to its nation's law and authority and retains its national title. Each NCB is connected by radio to the regional station for its geographic zone. The regional stations are connected to the Central Station in France. The radio network is versatile. Network stations can monitor the Central station or any regional station. Because of this messages can be broadcast to more than one station at a time. A coding system determines the urgency of each message so that those with high priority can be given precedence. Besides, other communication tools, such as radio-teleprinters and phototelegraphy equipment. Permit rapid transfers of fingerprints and photographs. Sometimes ever more advanced technology is employed. When the police all over the world were looking for a Canadian named George Leray, they turned to the Early Bird Satellite. Leray had led his gang on a daring holdup of a Montreal bank and gotten away with \$4 million. Scotland Yard broadcast Leray's photo to the world by satellite. An American who saw the picture in Florida recognized Leray as a man who was living on a yacht in Fort Lauderdale under an assumed name. The police were alerted and arrested Leray.

1. What is the best title for this passage? [A]. The Function of the Interpol. [B]. The Quality of the Interpol. [C]. The Organization of the Interpol. [D]. The Rapid Development of the Interpol.

2. The organization of this passage is [A]. general to specific. [B]. cause and effect. [C].

comparison and contrast. [D]. development.3. The sentence “stuffed with clerks choking on their own statistics” in the first paragraph is closest in meaning to [A]. a lot of employees busying in their work.[B]. many office workers busying with various documents.[C]. crowded with office workers busying with their own collected data.[D]. workers busying in their own information.4. Which is the easiest tool to communicate?[A]. Satellite. [B]. Radio.[B]. Teleprinter. [D]. Phototelegraphy. Vocabulary1. Interpol 国际刑警组织2. outfit 全班人马，有组织团体3. chisel-jawed 仪表英俊的4. gimlet-eyed 目光锐利的5. jeopardy 危险6. flatteringly 奉承7. choke 闷死 choking on their own statistics 被自己的统计数字弄得喘不过气来8. as with most generalities 和大多数笼统说法一样9. grim 冷酷的10. drone 懒汉，懒洋洋的人11. shuffle 反复挪动，乱翻，洗（纸牌）12. charisma 超凡的魅力13. National Central Bureaus 国家中心局14. Treasury Department 财政部（美）15. Questura 警察局（意）16. Melbourne 墨尔本警察局17. chore 日常零星工作18. to be bound to 受.....的约束，义务，一定.....19. geographic zone 地区，地带20. versatile 有多方面用途的21. radio-teleprinter 无线电打印机22. phototelegraph 传真23. daring 大胆的24. holdup 抢劫25. alert 使警惕，使处于待命状态 100Test 下载频道开通，各类考试题目直接下载。详细请访问 www.100test.com