7.10 Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, 1066-88: Norman Government: Sheriffs, the Forest and Domesday: 10-minute Pack

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Total Marks

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / _____

Answer ALL questions. Write in full sentences for the 12-mark and 16-mark questions.

1 Name the year in which the Domesday survey was carried out.

(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

2 State two reasons why William ordered the Domesday survey.

(Total for Question 2 is 2 marks)

3 State two ways in which a sheriff could abuse his office.

(Total for Question 3 is 2 marks)

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4 Give two reasons why William created the New Forest.

(Total for Question 4 is 2 marks)

5 According to the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle, state two kinds of animal that were not left out of the Domesday survey.

(Total for Question 5 is 2 marks)

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Question 1

any one of: 1086 **B1**

Answer: 1086

Question 2

any one valid reason, e.g. the threat of invasion from Cnut IV of Denmark in 1085; to find out what the king's resources and taxes were; to settle disputes over land; to find out what landholders held and owed; to record who held land in 1066 and 1086 **B1**

a second, different valid point (both marks may come from the same category if the points are distinct) **B1**

Answer: threat of invasion; land disputes

Question 3

any one valid abuse, e.g. extorting money from the shire; taking more from the people than the king's dues required; seizing land belonging to the king, the Church or neighbours; taking common rights; using the shire court for his own profit **B1**

a second, different valid point (both marks may come from the same category if the points are distinct) **B1**

Answer: extortion; taking too much

Question 4

any one valid reason, e.g. for royal hunting in the king's own preserve; to bring the king income from fines and from the land; to show royal power; to provide venison for the court **B1**

a second, different valid point (both marks may come from the same category if the points are distinct) **B1**

Answer: royal hunting; income from fines

Question 5

any one of: an ox; a cow; a pig **B1**

a second, different one of: an ox; a cow; a pig **B1**

Answer: ox; cow; pig (any two)

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