



**LATIN
HIGHER LEVEL
PAPER 1**

Monday 23 May 2005 (afternoon)

2 hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer both Section A and Section B.
- The use of dictionaries is permitted for paper 1.

SECTION A

[35 marks]

Translate into English the section of the following passage indicated between the asterisks. A translation of the rest of the passage appears on the facing page.

1. **During the second Punic War, suspicions were raised about the loyalty of the authorities of the Etruscan city of Arretium. The Roman senate decreed that the Arretine senate should choose hostages to be sent to Rome to guarantee their future subservience. However, the Arretine senate were not easily persuaded.**

De Arretinis et fama in dies gravior et cura crescere patribus. Itaque C. Hostilio scriptum est ne differret obsides ab Arretinis accipere, et cui traderet Romam deducendos C. Terentius Varro cum imperio missus.

- 5 * Qui ut venit, extemplo Hostilius legionem unam quae ante urbem castra habebat signa in urbem ferre iussit praesidiaque locis idoneis disposuit; tum in forum citatis senatoribus obsides imperavit. Cum senatus biduum ad considerandum tempus peteret, aut ipsos extemplo dare aut se postero die senatorum omnes liberos sumpturum edixit. Inde portas custodire iussi tribuni militum praefectique socium et centuriones ne quis nocte urbe exiret. Id segnius neglegentiusque factum; septem principes senatus priusquam custodiae in portis locarentur ante noctem cum liberis 10 evaserunt. Postero die luce prima cum senatus in forum citari coeptus esset desiderati, bonaque eorum venierunt: a ceteris senatoribus centum viginti obsides liberi ipsorum accepti traditique C. Terentio Romam deducendi. Is omnia suspectiora quam ante fuerant in senatu fecit. *

Itaque tamquam imminente Etrusco tumultu, legionem unam, alteram ex urbanis, Arretium ducere iussus ipse C. Terentius eamque habere in praesidio urbis.

LIVY 27.24.1-6

The news from Arretium continued to grow more serious, and anxiety in the Senate increased accordingly. Written instructions were sent to Hostilius to take hostages from the Arretines immediately, and C. Terentius Varro was dispatched, with full military authority, to receive them and bring them to Rome.

C. Terentius was ordered in consequence to march to Arretium himself with one of the two city legions and to garrison the town with it, on the supposition that an Etruscan revolt was imminent.

SECTION B

[5 marks]

Answer **all** the following questions, which relate to the passage in Section A.

2. In what way does the style of the passage *id segnius...senatu fecit* (lines 8-12) differ from that of the rest of the passage? What is the effect of these **two** styles? [3 marks]

 3. Choose **one** word or phrase not included in your answer to question 2, to illustrate the effectiveness of Livy's choice of vocabulary, word order or syntax. [2 marks]
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