

Chapter 1: Exercises

True or false?

Decide whether the statements below are true or false. Read each statement carefully and refer to chapter 1 of the book if you are unsure of the right answer

1. The term *inter alia* is derived from old German.
2. The word 'property' was introduced into English by the Vikings.
3. At one time legal proceedings in England were conducted in French.
4. Legal documents relating to land always use standard punctuation.
5. A 'boilerplate clause' is a standard contractual term used in many different types of contract.
6. Salaries, fees and bonuses fall within the concept of emoluments.
7. It is not correct to write 'enter onto a contract'.
8. Australia is not a common law country.
9. In legal English, 'consideration' means essentially the same as 'interpretation'.
10. 'Redemption' has only one meaning.

Answers

1. false
2. false
3. true
4. false
5. true
6. true
7. true
8. false
9. false
10. false