## **Chapter 7: Exercises**

## Text review exercise

Consider the sentences below. Each of them contains one or more errors, which may be either of a grammatical or stylistic nature. Identify the errors and correct them.

- (1) The store owner buys the Company's products to a reduced price and handles the administrative tasks relating to the selling.
- (2) If the company is part of a Group of companies, it and the other companies are still assessed individually.
- (3) In view of the above, it is our recommendation that the recording of working hours shall be separated from the X system.
- (4) We were wondering whether it could be possible that you make this amendment and report to us by e-mail?
- (5) These agreements are firstly applied by companies who are members to the relevant employers' federations.
- (6) The agreement is in force until further notice and can be terminated with a notice period of 12 months for the part of the Company and 6 months for the part of the Managing Director.
- (7) The Company can terminate the agreement to end immediately, and the bank with a notice period of one month.
- (8) Please note that this procedure is governed by the French law, and therefore in accordance with Sec. 10 (3) the process must be complete within ten weeks of the receipt of the documents.
- (9) Such a decision has not been made as regards the referred foreign patent of the plaintiff, and the position of the director has not been registered until the date of this report.
- (10) In this subsection we address shortly the liabilities of the board members in the light of the legal due diligence.

## Suggested answers

- (1) The store owner buys the Company's products at a reduced price and handles the administrative tasks relating to sale.
- (2) Companies are assessed individually even if they form part of the same group of companies.
- (3) In view of the above, we recommend separation of the recording of working hours from the X system.
- (4) We would be grateful if you could make this amendment and report to us via email.
- (5) These agreements are primarily utilised by companies that are members of the relevant employers' associations.

- (6) This agreement remains in force until further notice and may be terminated by the Company on giving 12 months' notice and by the Managing Director on giving six months' notice.
- (7) The Company may terminate the agreement with immediate effect and the bank on giving one month's notice.
- (8) Please note that this agreement is governed by French law and therefore, in accordance with section 10(3), the process must be completed within ten weeks of receipt of the documents.
- (9) No such decision has been made as regards the claimant's foreign patent and, as at the date of this report, the director's position has not been registered.
- (10)This subsection briefly addresses the board members' obligations in relation to the due diligence exercise.