

TOPIC II: FORMING JOINT STOCK COMPANIES, INCREASING SHARE CAPITAL, DECREASING SHARE CAPITAL AND TREASURY STOCKS

TOPIC II (A)

- 1) The Share Capital:
 - a) It's always the same as the outlaid Capital.
 - b) It's the addition of the Outlaid Capital and the uncalled Capital.
 - c) It's the Outlaid Capital minus the Uncalled Capital.
 - d) It's the addition of the Outlaid Capital plus the Share Premium.

- 2) When forming a Corporation, first contributions to the Share Capital:
 - a) Can only be monetary.
 - b) Can only be non-monetary.
 - c) Can be monetary or non-monetary.
 - d) Are the same for all the shareholders

- 3) Non-monetary contributions:
 - a) Are valued by the shareholders that contribute them.
 - b) Are valued by the Board of Directors.
 - c) Are valued by the General Accounting Meeting.
 - d) Are valued by independent experts.

- 4) The uncalled capital:
 - a) Is part of the Share Premium not yet called up.
 - b) Is part of the Company's liabilities
 - c) Is part of the Share Capital.
 - d) Cannot exist at the end of the period.

- 5) The uncalled Capital is reported in the Balance Sheet:
 - a) In the Equity, in negative.
 - b) In the Assets, in negative.
 - c) In liabilities, in positive.
 - d) They are not reported in the Balance Sheet.

- 6) A shareholder in arrears:
 - a) Is a shareholder who has not paid the uncalled Capital.
 - b) Is a shareholder who has not paid the called up Capital.
 - c) Is a shareholder who has not subscribed shares in an increase in capital.
 - d) The Corporate Enterprises Act does not consider this question.

TOPIC II (B)

- 7) A Company can increase its Capital by:
- Increasing the par value of the shares.
 - Issuing shares over par.
 - Issuing new shares.
 - All the above answers are correct.
- 8) A Company can increase its Capital:
- With non-monetary contributions.
 - With all restrictive Reserves.
 - By crediting the free Reserves accounts.
 - By condoning uncalled capital.
- 9) An increase in Capital:
- Is always an increase in the Equity of the Company.
 - Is a credit recording in the Share Capital account.
 - Is a debit recording in the Share Capital account.
 - Always modifies the Equity`s amount.
- 10) An increase in Capital that is covered by Voluntary Reserves:
- Is always an increase in the Equity`s amount.
 - Is a decrease in Equity`s amount.
 - Changes the Equity`s structure.
 - Does not change the Equity`s structure.
- 11) The pre-emptive right:
- Exists in every increase in Capital.
 - Exists in increases in capital when acquiring a Company.
 - Exists only in totally covered increases in capital.
 - Exists in increases in capital against non-monetary contributions.
- 12) The pre-emptive right:
- Has only a theoretical value.
 - Has only a market value.
 - Has a lower value when the increase is covered by reserves.
 - Has a lower value when the increase in capital is partially covered by reserves than totally covered.
- 13) Increases in Capital are an increase in Equity:
- In all cases.
 - When they are booked against Reserves.
 - When they are booked against a debt payable.
 - In no case.

TOPIC II (C):

14) Decreases in Share Capital:

- a) Have always as main objective the reimbursements to shareholders.
- b) Always imply decreases in Equity.
- c) Do not modify the structure of the Company's Equity
- d) Do not necessary modify the amount of the Company's Equity

15) Decreases in Share Capital entail decreases in Equity:

- a) In all cases.
- b) When the Company returns contributions to the shareholder's
- c) When the purpose is the increasing of the Legal Reserve.
- d) In no case.

16) A decrease in Capital:

- a) Is always a decrease in the Equity of the Company.
- b) Is a credit recording in Share Capital.
- c) Is a debit recording in Share Capital.
- d) Means always a change in the Equity's amount.

17) The Legal reserve:

- a) Is an unrestricted Reserve.
- b) Must be used to distribute Dividends
- c) Can have its origin in a decrease in Capital.
- d) Must reach the 10% of the Share Capital.

18) When decreasing a company's share capital

- a) The par value of the shares must be decreased
- b) Shareholders must receive their contributions to the company.
- c) The par value of the shares can decrease in the event of unanimity among shareholders.
- d) The par value of the shares can decrease if the majority of shareholders agree

TOPIC II (D):

19) Treasury stock:

- a) Is compulsory for every Corporation.
- b) Is reported in the Balance Sheet as an increase in liabilities.
- c) Is reported in the Balance Sheet as an increase in Equity.
- d) Is reported in the balance Sheet as a decrease in Equity.

20) When selling treasury stock:

- a) The Company must record the result as part of the Equity.
- b) No result can be obtained by the Company
- c) The result obtained is reported in the income Statement
- d) The result obtained is reported as an asset.

21) Own shares:

- a) Are known as the treasury stock of a Corporation.
- b) Are reported in an asset account.
- c) Can only be sold for a selling Price equal to their issuing Price.
- d) Are reported in a liability account.

22) When redeeming own shares:

- a) The Company must always allocate the par value redeemed to an unrestricted Reserve
- b) The Company shall sometimes allocate the par valued redeemed to an unrestricted Reserve
- c) The Company will never allocate the par valued redeemed to an unrestricted Reserve
- d) The Company must always allocate the acquisition price to an unrestricted Reserve