PRACTICE FOR THE FC 1.028

In English, please

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EXTRACT N°1

c - neither a nor b

3 - Jet Blue 820

4 - ARINC

c - a and b

in isolated areas

EXTRACT N°2

a - 310

b - 350

c - 360

ahead

1 - Fedex 57 is at flight level

b - he is nearing his destination

a - is leaving radar coverage

c - will remain with Miami center

2 - Fedex 57 is requesting descent because a - he might encounter moderate turbulence

b - is asked to switch to a VHF frequency

5 - The air traffic controller is working

a - stands for Aeronautical Radio, Incorporated

b - is a system providing voice communications

a - at least 3 frequencies 127.22, 132.30 and 134.8

* The answers to questions 4, 9 and 12 are not in the different extracts, try to find clues on the internet.

- b all of Miami center frequencies
- c 127.22, 132.30, 134.8 and 119.82

6 - She couldn't respond to Delta 104 at once because

- a she was on line with New York
- b She was busy coordinating flights with a neighboring sector
- c a and b
- 7 The air traffic controller
- a requests a radio relay from Delta 60
- b tells Air Canada 075 to descend to FL330 at pilot's discretion
- c gives the Nassau altimeter

EXTRACT N°3

- 8 LN444WB radio callsign is
- a Lima November triple 4 Whisky Bravo
- b Libair November Whisky Bravo
- c Lifeguard 4 Whisky Bravo

9 - LN444WB is

- a an emergency medical flight
- b a Search and Rescue flight
- c a coastguard surveillance flight

10 - LN444WB is requesting

- a higher
- b a favor
- c lower

11 - LN444WB is concerned about

- a Flight Service operating hours
- b his present position
- c a baby they have on board

EXTRACT N°4

12 - Pilots and controllers are exchanging "ride reports", they are talking about

- a icing
- b turbulence
- c the wind aloft

13 - At flight level 290 and below pilots can expect

- a smooth flight conditions
- b a continuous light chop
- c the controller has no information at this level

14 - Cactus 179 is at flight level

- a 320
- b 340
- c 360

15 - United 465 is

- a in and out of light chop
- b having a pretty smooth ride
- c requesting a level change

16 - United 465 is at flight level

- a 320 b - 340
- c 360

Answers