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Appendix A

Background Knowledge Test

- 1. 請問您我國臺灣立法委員的任期為幾年?
- 2. 請問您現任美國總統是誰?
- 3. 請問您臺灣現任的副總統是哪一位?
- 4. 請問您現在中國國家主席是誰?
- 5. 哪一個臺灣機關有權解釋憲法?
- 6. 日本現任總理是誰?
- 7. 由金大中與盧武鉉兩任總統執行的對北韓(朝鮮)政策為?

Appendix B

摘要寫作

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Beating the War Drums in Korea

Most of the time, political rhetoric doesn't matter much. Either it's for a domestic audience, or it's a way of letting off steam in international relations. I wouldn't want to bet that the rhetoric coming out of the two Koreas is so innocent, however. Relations between the two have been deteriorating since the North sank a South Korean naval vessel back in 2010 and then shelled an island, killing South Korean citizens. There was some hope that the inauguration of the new president Park Geun-hye would lead to some type of new approach to the North, though many worried that Madame Park would be too eager to shift Seoul back towards the unrealistic Sunshine Policy that failed during the 1990s.

If anything, the war of words between Pyongyang and Seoul is worse than under hardline former president Lee Myung-bak. Of course, young North Korean dictator Kim Jong Un has continued the family tradition of provocation and aggression, launching ballistic missiles and setting off nuclear explosions. That has led to more U.N. sanctions talk, this time with China supposedly on board. The result has been the rhetorical equivalent of Defcon One. Last week, Pyongyang threatened to end the armistice that has held on the peninsula since the end of the Korean War in 1953 (no peace treaty was ever signed, and so the two sides formally remain at war). That would be a grave change to the status quo, literally indicating that hostilities had once again commenced -- even if no attack was actually undertaken. From North Korea's twisted legal logic, the U.N. sanctions are a form of warfare, so they are justified in responding; moreover, having given warning of the end of the armistice, they could "legally" launch military attacks on the South.

In response, the South Korean military warned it would target North Korea's command leadership," including, presumably, Kim Jong Un himself. The South's fear is that young Kim, relatively untested yet brashly confident of his country's missile forces and nuclear capability, may wind up authorizing limited attacks, confident the South won't respond. Thus, the rhetorical one-upsmanship.

The real danger here is that the two sides may talk themselves into conflict, even war. President Park cannot begin her six-year term by seeming to cower before the North, while Kim has had a string of successes that make him as "successful" as his dictator father and grandfather before him; however, he may not have the savvy his forebears had in pulling back just before going over the edge. Mix in nationalist passions in both countries (usually directed against Japan, but able to pivot against each other when necessary), and an itchy trigger finger along the Demilitarized Zone, and the potential for conflict grows alarmingly large.

That, of course, would bring in the U.S., which still has over 27,000 troops pledged to come to the aid of the South, along with the airpower of the U.S. Air Force and Navy. Word on the street is that Washington talked Seoul down in 2010, when former President Lee wanted to strike back in some way for the North's unprovoked aggression. This time, I'd wager it will be nearly impossible to prevent a new president from proving her bona fides if Kim Jong-un is stupid enough to actually launch an attack that winds up costing innocent South Korean life. In short, watch the rhetoric levels to see if they decline a bit to "normal" hatred, or if they seem to moving into ever more provocative territory. Before long, Washington may have to field a call from Seoul's Blue House, asking President Obama if he is prepared to back a South Korean military response to the North's madness.

Appendix C

評分説明

主/次要概念	完整句與拆句	分數分配	總分
主要概念 Sentence represents main idea	南北韓的政治喊話,可能導致雙方關 係越演越烈		10
	南北韓的2/政治喊話3 可能導致1/雙方關係2/越演越烈2	2 + 3 = 5 1 + 2 + 2 = 5	
	金正恩承襲了家族的恫嚇,進行導彈 試射		10
	金正恩2/承襲了2/家族的1/恫 嚇1	2 + 2 + 1 + 1 = 6	
	進行1/導彈試射3	1 + 3 = 4	
	聯合國對北韓進行制裁,被(北韓) 視為宣戰		10
	平壤宣布將終止兩韓停戰協定作為回 應		
	聯合國1/(對北韓)進行制裁2/, 被(北韓)視為1/宣戰1	1 + 2 + 1 + 1 = 5	
	平壤宣布1/將終止1/兩韓停戰協定2/作為回應1	1 + 1 + 2 + 1 = 5	
	美國曾阻止南韓對北韓反擊,若雙方 言語(攻訐)激化,北韓發動攻擊,戰 爭無可避免		10
	美國1/曾阻止1/南韓對北韓2/ 反擊1 倘若雙方1/言語(攻計)激化1/北 韓發動攻擊1/戰爭無可避免2		

評分説明(續)

主/次要概念	完整句與拆句	分數分配	總分
次要概念 Sentence represents supporting idea	朴槿惠不可能在上任之初,就對北韓 展現出軟弱的姿態		5
	朴槿惠1/不可能在1/上任之初1 就對北韓0.5/展現出0.5/軟弱1(的 姿態)		
	金正恩/急於塑造/自己(承繼父執 輩)/的強人形象 但不見得有/父執輩的智慧		5
	金正恩1/急於塑造自己(承繼父執 輩)1/的強人形象1 但不見得有1/父執輩的智慧1	1 + 1 + 1 = 3 1 + 1 = 2	
	聯合國將舉行制裁會,預料中國持贊 成的立場		5
	聯合國 1 /將舉行 0.5 /制裁會 1 / 預料中國 1 /持贊成的 1 /立場 0.5		
	南韓軍方因此而警告將鎖定北韓領導 階層給予打擊		5
	南韓軍方1/因此而警告1/將鎖定1 北韓領導階層1/給予打擊1	1 + 1 + 1 = 3 1 + 1 = 2	