

Textiles and Design

Section II

25 marks

Attempt Questions 11–13

Allow about 45 minutes for this section

Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

Marks

Question 11 — Australian Textiles, Clothing, Footwear and Allied Industries

(5 marks)

- (a) ~~Explain one way~~ the Australian ~~government~~ has attempted to make the Australian Textiles, Clothing, Footwear and Allied Industries ~~more competitive internationally~~. 2

The way in which the Australian Government has attempted to the Australia TCFAT more competitive internationally is through the Tariffs, they have put on the imports. By having the tariffs it is more expensive for imports to come into Australia

- (b) Discuss why many Australian textiles, clothing and footwear companies have chosen to ~~manufacture their goods overseas~~. 3

Many Australian textiles, clothing and footwear companies have chosen to manufacture their goods overseas due to the fact ~~it~~ it can be cheaper in overseas ~~manufacturing~~ manufacturing companies. As overseas companies pay their employee a ~~minimum~~ minimum wage to produce textile limits. This is unethical, although companies want it manufacture quickly and cheaply.