

## RUBRIC:

Review the case brief and score the facts, issue(s), and reasoning/analysis based on the points provided. The total possible points = 25 (or 24.9). The SLO has been met if the student scores 17.5, or above. The 17.5 (17.49), or above equals a “C” and therefore passing, or meeting the SLO. A base of 25 points was selected, since it is a smaller number, with less factors to consider, plus easier to work with when assessing a student’s work. If a paralegal student can provide a good rendering of the facts, recognize and properly state the issue(s), and set forth the court’s reasoning/analysis, this should suffice in practice. The citation, decision, holding, and other materials have not been considered for the SLO because they can usually be copied which takes little thought

### Case Brief Rubric

CATEGORY			
	Excellent – 8.33	Satisfactory – 5.83	Poor - 0
<b><i>Facts</i></b>	Accurately identifies and describes [necessary] facts related to case.	Accurately identifies and describes several facts related to the case.	Facts are inaccurate or missing.
	Excellent – 8.33	Satisfactory – 5.83	Poor - 0
<b><i>Issue(s)</i></b>	Accurately states issue related to case.	Partially correct in stating issue of case.	Issue incorrect or missing.
	Excellent – 8.33	Satisfactory – 5.83	Poor - 0
<b><i>Reasoning &amp; Analysis for Court Decision</i></b>	Clearly and accurately stated. All criteria for Court's decision stated.	Some difficulty stating reasoning for Court's decision. Missing some criteria decision based on.	Reasoning or Criteria for Court's decision missing.

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