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Narrator: Listening Test

Giving Directions

Section 3

You will hear the woman taking a taxi and giving the driver directions.

The recording will be played twice. Do as much as you can the first time and answer all the questions the second time.

You have 30 seconds to look at your questions.

[30 sec music]

Listen and answer the questions.

[[sound of closing car doors]

Taxi Driver: Hello, madam! Where to?

Woman: I'm going to my daughter's house. It's on Silver Lane. My daughter has told me how to get there fast. She said that's the most direct route.

Taxi Driver: Sure. Please tell me the route.

Woman: Okay. Go straight on and turn left.

Taxi Driver: There are road works on that road. The road is blocked.

Woman: Okay. Turn right instead.

Taxi Driver: Sure.

Woman: Now keep going until you see the statue of the horse.

Taxi Driver: Here is the statue. Which way should we go then?

Woman: Turn left at the statue, then left again.

Taxi Driver: Okay. We are on Golden Street now.

Woman: Drive past the lake and turn right.

Taxi Driver: Hang on – that's for pedestrians only.

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Woman: Oh! Don't turn right. Keep going and follow the road. You'll see it in front of you.

Taxi Driver: Great. We'll be there very soon. So, have you been enjoying your stay, madam?

Woman: Yes, I have been walking in the parks and around the town a bit. I have also been to the gym every day with my daughter, but we watched TV last night because we were tired. I'm returning home tonight as I have to work on Monday – just a weekend trip.

Taxi Driver: You should stay longer next time. It's a very beautiful town. I love the beautiful mountain behind the town. Have you climbed it? The view of the town and the sea side **is** amazing!

Woman: Oooh, you really do love this town, don't you? You're very enthusiastic about it.

Taxi Driver: Sorry, I'm boring you. I do that all the time.

Woman: No, I love hearing these things. I'll go up there next time with my daughter. There are a lot of things I want to do, like visiting the museum.

Taxi Driver: Yes, it's great. We are here. Enjoy your stay and hope to see you next time! }

Narrator: Now listen to the recording again.

[repeat recording {}]

You have 30 seconds to check your answers.

[30 sec music]

This is the end of Section 3.