GEOGRAPHY TEST #9

1. IN WHAT COUNTRY WOULD YOU FIND THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE?

ANSWER: SOUTH AFRICA

2. IN TERMS OF POPULATION, NAME THE LARGEST CITY IN THE WORLD.

ANSWER: TOKYO, JAPAN

3. THE BERING STRAIT LIES BETWEEN WHICH TWO COUNTRIES?

ANSWER: RUSSIAN FEDERATION AND UNITED STATES (ALASKA)

4. NAME TWO LAND-LOCKED COUNTRIES IN SOUTH AMERICA?

ANSWER: BOLIVIA AND

5. NAME THE CAPITAL OF THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES.

ANSWER: ECUADOR-QUITO; ICELAND-REYKJAVIK; CAMEROON-YAOUNDE; VIETNAM-

HANOI; AND INDIA-NEW DELHI.

6. WHERE WOULD YOU FIND THE LOWEST POINT ON EARTH? BE SPECIFIC.

ANSWER: CHALLENGER DEEP IN THE MARIANA TRENCH (10,994 M); ABOUT 200 MILES

EAST OF THE MARIANA ISLANDS IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

7. IN WHICH COUNTRY WOULD YOU FIND THE FOLLOWING HISTORICAL/CULTURAL

SITES-

ANSWER: MOUNT ST. MICHEL-FRANCE; SULTAN AHMET MOSQUE (BLUE MOSQUE)-TURKEY (ISTANBUL); CHRIST THE REDEEMER STATUE-BRAZIL (RIO DE JANEIRO); RED

SQUARE-RUSSIAN FEDERATION (MOSCOW); AND TERRACOTTA

8. EASTER ISLAND, A TERRITORY OF CHILE, IS WORLD RENOWNED FOR WHAT?

ANSWER: IT IS FAMOUS FOR ITS GIANT MOAI STONE STATUES (APPROX. 900) WHICH WERE BUILT FROM 1400-1650 A.D. TO HONOR CHIEFTAINS OR IMPORTANT PEOPLES. THE STATUES WERE PLACED ON RECTANGULAR STONE FLATFORMS CALLED AHU WHICH WERE TOMBS FOR THE PEOPLE THE STATUES REPRESENTED. AVERAGE HEIGHT OF THE STATUES IS 13 FT WEIGHING 13 TONS. HIGHEST STONE HEIGHT IS 33 FT WEIGHING 82 TONS.

9. NAME THE FIVE LARGEST ISLANDS IN THE WORLD IN DESCENDING ORDER.

ANSWER: GREENLAND; NEW GUINEA; BORNEO; AND BAFFIN ISLAND.

10. IRAN. PRIOR TO 1935. WAS KNOWN BY WHAT COUNTRY NAME?

ANSWER: PERSIA