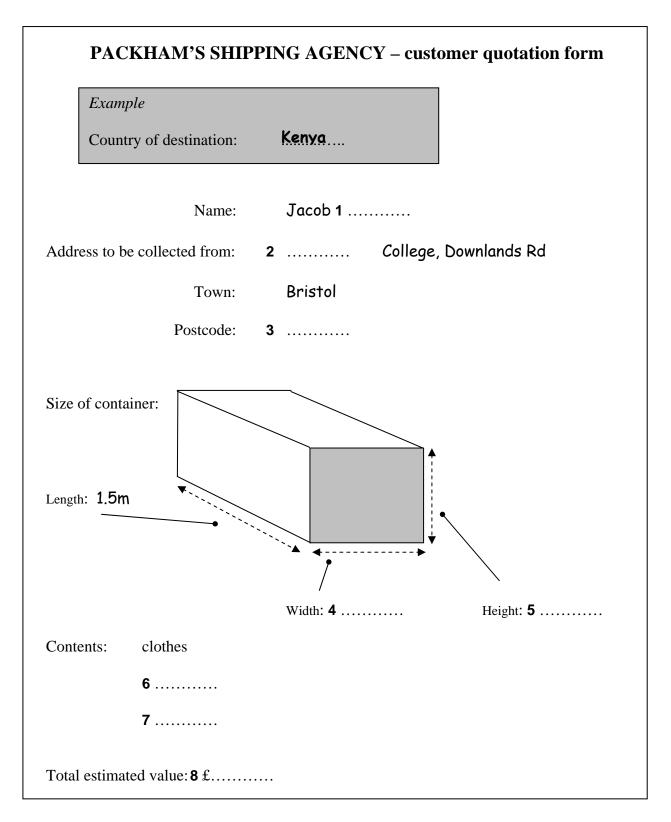
Listening sample task – Form completion (to be used with IELTS Listening Recording 1)

## **SECTION 1**

Questions 1-8

Complete the form below.

Write NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER for each answer.



## **Tapescript for IELTS Listening Recording 1**

You will hear a telephone conversation between a customer and an agent at a company which ships large boxes overseas.

- A Good morning Packham's Shipping Agents. Can I help you?
- **B** Oh yes, I'm ringing to make enquiries about sending a large box, a container, back home to Kenya from the UK.
- A Yes, of course. Would you like me to try and find some quotations for you?
- **B** Yes, that'd be great. Thank you.
- A Well first of all, I need a few details from you.
- B Fine.
- A Can I take your name?
- B It's Jacob Mkere.
- A Can you spell your surname, please?
- B Yes, it's M-K-E-R-E.
- A Is that 'M' for mother?
- B Yes.
- A Thank you, and you say that you will be sending the box to Kenya?
- **B** That's right.
- A And where would you like the box picked up from?
- **B** From college, if possible.
- A Yes, of course. I'll take down the address now.
- B It's Westall College.
- A Is that W-E-S-T-A-L-L?
- B Yes, ... college.
- A Westall College. And where's that?

- **B** It's Downlands Road, in Bristol.
- A Oh yes, I know it. And the postcode?
- B It's BS8 9PU.
- A Right ... and I need to know the size.
- **B** Yes, I've measured it carefully and it's 1.5m long ...
- A Right.
- **B** 0.75m wide ...
- A OK.
- **B** And it's 0.5m high or deep.
- A Great. So I'll calculate the volume in a moment and get some quotes for that. But first can you tell me, you know, very generally, what will be in the box?
- **B** Yes there's mostly clothes.
- A OK. [writing down]
- **B** And there's some books.
- A OK. Good. Um ... Anything else?
- **B** Yes, there's also some toys.
- A OK and what is the total value, do you think, of the contents?
- **B** Well the main costs are the clothes and the books they'll be about £1500 but then the toys are about another two hundred so I'd put down £1700.

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## Answers:

- 1 Mkere
- 2 Westall
- 3 BS8 9PU
- 4 0.75 m/metre(s)/meter(s) (wide) / three(-)quarter(s) (of) (a) metre/meter (wide) / <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> m (wide) / 75 cm(s) (wide)
- 5 0.5 m/metre(s)/meter(s) (high/deep) / (a) half (a) metre/meter (high/deep) / ½ m (high/deep) / 50 cm(s) (high/deep)
- 6 & 7 *in either order* (some) books (some) toys
- **8** 1,700

Words in brackets are optional - they are correct, but not necessary. Alternative answers are separated by a slash (/).