# EXAM 6 - CANADA, SPRING 2015

# 33. (1 point)

a. (0.5 point)

Describe the concept of materiality.

b. (0.5 point)

Identify two considerations in the determination of materiality.

#### **EXAM 6C SPRING 2015 SAMPLE ANSWERS AND EXAMINER'S REPORT**

# **QUESTION 33**

TOTAL POINT VALUE: 1.0 LEARNING OBJECTIVE: D1d

# **SAMPLE ANSWERS (BY PART, AS APPLICABLE)**

Part a: 0.5 point

An omission, understatement or overestimate is material if it will affect the user's decision making or reasonable expectation

# Part b: 0.5 point

Candidates would receive credits if they mentioned anything related to the characteristics of the entity and anything related to users' intent/situation/purpose. Sample answers include:

- Size of the company
- User of the work

# **EXAMINER'S REPORT (BY PART, AS APPLICABLE)**

# Part a

Candidates generally performed well on this question

# Part b

- Candidates were typically able to provide one consideration
- Common error is that candidates typically omit one of the two considerations or providing the same considerations in different wordings.