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**PART I – SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS - JULY 2008**  
**BAR1105 SOCIETY AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT 1**

**Instructions**

**Time: 3 hours**

*Answer Question One and any other three.  
Illustrate your answers with sketches where appropriate*

**QUESTION 1 (Compulsory)**

- (a) Define the phrase **Built Environment** [10]
- (b) A wide variety of factors in the past resulted in the development of towns. Describe some of them. [30]

**QUESTION 2**

Explain using illustrations what you understand by **threshold**. Show how this is related to degrees of privacy. [20]

**QUESTION 3**

In what ways have different types of land tenure determined the planning and design of the buildings that occupy the land [20]

**QUESTION 4**

The following terms relate to housing and property. Define them.

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| (a) Patio    | (b) Balcony    |
| (c) Tenure   | (d) Attic      |
| (e) Porch    | (f) crown land |
| (g) Bungalow | (h) freehold   |
- [20]

**QUESTION 5**

Describe a non-domestic building you are familiar with. Explain how the various parts of the building are used, and how the physical form of the building and its public use relates to its surroundings. [20]