**EXERCISE: Choose the correct answer.**

1 The meeting took almost five hours so it was impossible to …………………….attention all the time. (give, pay)

2 The problem is difficult to ……………………………..under control. (keep. hold)

3 It took us all day to clean up the office after the burglary – the thieves ………………………..a terrible mess. (made, did)

4 I don't think we should ……………………………..a decision yet; we should wait. (make, hold)

5 Only 31% of the students who ……………………………..the final exam passed it. (took, wrote)

6 I think we should look for a new supplier – the one we have at the moment ………………….us too many problems. (does, causes)

7 Could you …………………………me a favour and post these letters on your way home? (make, do)

8 I've told him ten times that he's got the wrong telephone number. I'll ………………………….crazy if they call again. (become, go)

9 The company offers its employees free language training but not many people …………………………………………advantage of it. (make, take)

10 Our personnel assistant is leaving next month - she's ……………………………a baby. (waiting for, expecting)