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**THE NEW JERSEY TEST OF REASONING SKILLS
FORM B
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KEY

1 - B	11 - A	21 - B	31 - A	41 - A
2 - B	12 - B	22 - C	32 - A	42 - A
3 - A	13 - B	23 - B	33 - C	43 - C
4 - C	14 - B	24 - A	34 - C	44 - A
5 - B	15 - C	25 - C	35 - B	45 - B
6 - C	16 - C	26 - C	36 - B	46 - C
7 - A	17 - A	27 - B	37 - C	47 - B
8 - B	18 - B	28 - A	38 - C	48 - C
9 - A	19 - A	29 - B	39 - A	49 - C
10 - C	20 - A	30 - C	40 - B	50 - B

- B. Standardising statements (2, 14, 19)
- C. Inclusion/exclusion (3, 6, 7, 11)
- D. Recognising improper questions (4)
- E. Avoiding jumping to conclusions (5)
- F. Analogical reasoning (8)
- G. Detecting underlying assumptions (9, 10, 19)
- H. Eliminating alternatives (12)
- I. Inductive reasoning (13, 21)
- J. Reasoning with relationships (15, 22, 24)
- K. Detecting ambiguities (16, 23, 49)
- L. Identifying good reasons (17, 20, 27, 40)
- M. Recognising symmetrical relationships (26, 28)
- N. Syllogistic reasoning (categorical) (29, 32, 36)
- O. Distinguishing differences of kind and degree (30, 35)
- P. Recognising transitive relationships (31, 34)
- Q. Recognising dubious authority (33)
- R. Reasoning with 4-possibilities matrix (37)
- S. Contradicting statements (38, 42, 44)
- T. Whole-part reasoning and part-whole reasoning (39, 41, 43)
- U. Syllogistic reasoning (conditional) (45, 46, 50)
- V. discerning causal relationships (47, 48)