MODALS



Choose the statement or statements which convey(s) the same meaning as each of the following.

- 1. "You should have written it better."
 - a) You didn't write it very well.
 - b) You wrote it better than I expected.
 - c) There was no way for you to write it better.
 - d) You needn't write it again.

2. "They must have done it."

- a) They were obliged to do it.
- b) They probably did it.
- c) I doubt if they did it.
- d) They haven't done it yet.
- 3. "John needn't have written it."
 - a) John ought not to have written it.
 - b) John couldn't have written it.
 - c) John didn't need to write it.
 - d) There was no need but he wrote it anyway.
- 4. "*Keith didn't need to take the car.*"
 - a) He mustn't take his car.
 - b) It was silly of him to take the car.
 - c) He took the car even though it wasn't necessary.
 - d) He didn't take the car.

5. "I wish you had told me."

- a) You may not have told me.
- b) You should have told me.
- c) You must have told me.
- d) You might have told me.

6. "I happened to meet her..."

- a) I was expecting to meet her, and so I did.
- b) We had arranged a meeting but I missed her.
- c) I met her quite by chance.
- d) I came across her.