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ANTITRUST LAW

Semester I, 1999-2000

UNM School of Law Final Examination Three Credits Professor Mathewson Take Home Exam Due By 4:00 p.m. Friday, December 17, 1999

PICK UP EXAM: AFTER 9:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1999

INSTRUCTIONS

Your examination answers are due by 4:00 P.M. on Friday, December 17, 1999. Please turn your answers in to the exam proctors in the forum or at Janet Cox's office, Room 3119.

You may <u>not</u> collaborate with any one else once you pick up this examination. The written product you turn in should be solely your work. Your answers may be handwritten or typed. You may answer the question at any time after you pick it up and before it is due. However, you may NOT spend more than twelve hours on the examination.

[END OF INSTRUCTIONS]

Question

Please answer Problem 23 at page 978 of the course text, Handler, Pitofsky, Goldschmid and Wood, TRADE REGULATION (Fourth Edition). The problem is entitled "The BZT Three-Way Venture." You may use any of the materials covered over the semester to answer the question. In addition, you should read pp. 968 –78.

Please follow the memo format used throughout the semester. You should take the position of the DOJ. As a DOJ lawyer, do you agree with the legal advice provided by the Breakers' attorneys to the effect that the venture is permissible under antitrust laws? If you disagree with the advice, are there any alternatives that the DOJ would find less objectionable?

[END OF EXAMINATION]