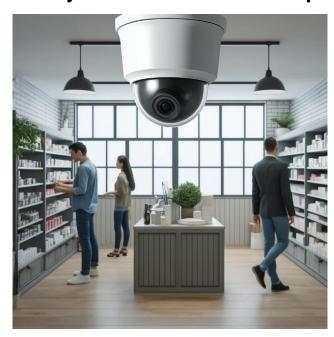


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Reading Comprehension 4

Survey: Use of Cameras in Shops



In a recent survey, eight residents from a metropolitan area were asked about their thoughts on the use of surveillance cameras in retail stores. Here are their responses:

- I. Cameras in shops are a violation of personal privacy. People should be able to shop without being constantly watched.
- II. Shoplifting is a significant issue. Cameras can deter theft and help identify those who steal.
- III. Cameras in shops can provide evidence in the case of disputes or altercations, protecting both customers and staff.
- IV. People have a right to choose shops without cameras if they value their privacy over security.
- V. Surveillance cameras can be used to analyse customer behaviour, which helps stores improve their layout and product placement.
- VI. The constant monitoring by cameras can make both customers and employees feel uneasy and mistrustful.
- VII. Cameras in shops can reduce the need for security personnel, saving costs for store owners.
- VIII. If a crime occurs in a shop, camera footage can be crucial for police investigations.

Questions

- 1. Which one of the following responses is most like the point made in Response II?
 - A. Response I
 - B. Response III
 - C. Response VI
 - D. Response VIII

- 2. Which response argues a point that is contrary to the perspective in Response I? A. Response II B. Response IV C. Response V D. Response VII 3. Response V suggests that cameras in shops can be used for A. violating customer privacy. B. improving shopping experience. C. intimidating the staff. D. reducing the need for police investigations. Responses III and VIII both indicate that cameras in shops can 4. A. invade personal privacy. B. deter shoplifting. C. provide crucial evidence. D. make people feel uneasy. 5. Which of the following viewpoints, if implemented, would likely lead to an increase in consumer trust and sense of security within retail stores? A. Response I B. Response IV C. Response VI D. Response VII **Answer Key** 1. D. Response VIII 2. B. Response IV
 - 3. B. improving shopping experience.
 - 4. C. provide crucial evidence.
 - 5. B. Response IV