**Listening Exercise 133**

Society

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Guidelines:

A. Review the questions

C. Listen to the audio twice (control + click the link).

D. Answer the questions

F. Refer to the answers to confirm your responses and gauge understanding



1. What are people planning to attend in Mexico?
   1. Independence day
   2. Olympic games
   3. Soccer championship
   4. Summer vacation
2. When does it end?
   1. August 15
   2. August 21
   3. July 15
   4. July 21
3. How many people are expected in total?
   1. 2 million
   2. 8 million
   3. 10 million
   4. 12 million
4. Where are the majority of those participating from?
   1. Europe
   2. Mexico
   3. South America
   4. United States
5. What was increased?
   1. Budget
   2. Hospitals
   3. Hotels
   4. Security
6. What significance does the number ‘088’ have?
   1. Emergency number
   2. Number of deaths
   3. Winning number
   4. Courtesy patrol

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| Miles de turistas arribaron a las playas de Quintana Roo para disfrutar la temporada vacacional del verano. Cozumel, Isla Mujeres, Playa del Carmen, y Cancún son los destinos de playa más visitados en estas vacaciones de verano que iniciaron este 15 de julio y culminan el 21 de agosto. | Thousands of tourists arrived at the beaches of Quintana Roo to enjoy the summer holiday season. Cozumel, Isla Mujeres, Playa del Carmen, and Cancun are the most visited beach destinations this summer vacation season that started this July 15 and winds up on August 21. |
| En lo que va del año, Quintana Roo recibió a 8 millones de turistas nacionales y extranjeros y en los próximos 32 días se espera la llegada de casi dos millones más de personas. El 58% es turista nacional. El 92% de los 95,000 cuartos de hotel en Quintana Roo están ocupados y se esperan llenos totales. | So far this year, Quintana Roo received 8 million domestic and foreign tourists and in the next 32 days the arrival of nearly two million more people is expected. 58% are a national tourist. 92% of the 95,000 hotel rooms in Quintana Roo are full and are expected to sellout. |
| La vigilancia se reforzó en aeropuertos, puertos, carreteras, terminales de autobuses, playas, centros comerciales, y recreativos. Alrededor de 4,000 elementos de seguridad, entre ellos ejército mexicano, Secretaría de Marina, Gendarmería, y policías estatales y municipales están preparados para atender a la población. Las autoridades pusieron a la disposición el número 088 en caso de alguna contingencia durante su estancia en Quintana Roo. | Security was strengthened at airports, ports, highways, bus terminals, beaches, shopping, and recreation centers. Around 4,000 security personnel, including the Mexican Army, Navy, Gendarmerie, and state and local police are prepared to assist the population. The authorities made the number 088 available in case of any contingency during their stay in Quintana Roo. |