

EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRILANKA FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE-2005/2006 & 2006/2007 (August/September, 2007) CS 152 –Introduction to Program Design and Programming (Practical)

Proper & Repeat

Answer all questions

Time: 2 hours

Write a program that can sort a list of names and telephone numbers alphabetically. Persons are sorted alphabetically by their last names. Persons with the same last name are sorted by their first names.

Input: names and telephone numbers,

Output: list of names and telephone numbers ordered alphabetically.

Define a structure named **person** that contains a person's *first name*, *last name*, and *telephone number*. Assume that the number of characters of the *last name* and the *first name* of the person will not exceed 10 characters.

Define a function that compares two structures of type person according to the following prototype:

int compare(person * a, person * b);

This function should return a negative value if person a comes before b, and a positive value if b comes before a. (You may use the function **stricmp(char name1[],char name2[]**) to compare two strings).

Define a function that swaps the contents of two structures of type person:

void swap(person * x, person * y);

Use the following function to sort an array of structures of type person:

void sort(person * list, int NumberOfPersons)

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// sort list using bubble sort method :
int a, b;
for (a=1; a<NumberOfPersons; a++)
 for (b=NumberOfPersons-1; b>=a; b--)
   if (compare(list+b-1, list+b) > 0)
     swap(list+b-1, list+b);
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