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Homework Assignment #3— Due: April 18, 2005 @ 11:59:59pm

Total: 8 points

1. **(4 points)** Problems from Tanenbaum & Steen book. (1 point for each problem)
 - a. Chapter 9 – Problem 3 (page 573)
 - b. Chapter 9 – Problem 15 (page 573)
 - c. Chapter 10 – Problem 9 (page 645)
 - d. Chapter 10 – Problem 14 (page 645)

2. **(2 points)** Assume a client A that asks server S to execute an operation O . Instead of executing operation O itself, S wants to **delegate** this operation to another server $S1$. Give a simple authentication protocol which allows S to **securely** delegate operation O to $S1$. In particular, this protocol should:
 1. allow S to inform client A of server $S1$;
 2. allow A to verify that the server A connects to is indeed server $S1$ trusted by S (i.e., precludes a man-in-the-middle attack to redirect the traffic of A to another server $S2$).

3. **(2 points)** Lecture 14 shows an algorithm to securely admit a new member in the group. Give a protocol to securely **remove** a member from the group.

Hint: Observe that the remaining members in the group can no longer use the shared secret key C_{KG} , since this key is known by the member who left, and this member can no longer be trusted.