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Questions

1. In SQL, what is the purpose of the 'WAITFOR DELAY' command?

- A. To wait for an external event before proceeding
- B. To terminate a long-running query
- C. To pause the execution of a program for a specified duration
- D. To optimize the query execution plan

2. What is a common alternative to using WAITFOR DELAY for scheduling tasks in SQL Server?

- A. SQL Server Profiler
- B. System Restarts
- C. SQL Server Agent Jobs
- D. Triggers and Assertions

3. In SQL Server, if WAITFOR DELAY is set incorrectly (e.g., using an invalid time format), what is the likely outcome during execution?

- A. An error message is generated
- B. The delay defaults to zero seconds
- C. System performance is unaffected
- D. SQL Server corrects the delay automatically