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TODAY'S QUOTE

This is your Monday
morning reminder
that you are powerful
beyond measure,
that you are capable
of pretty much anything
you are willing
to work for and that you
could change your
life today



Khushboo Mandal 1 day ago

Malign:- causing harm/ harmful

Synonyms:- baleful, sinister

Antonym:- beneficial, especial

De- facto - in reality

Thank you mam

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आदर्श मिश्रा (लक्ष्य~संघ लोक सेवा आयोग) 21 hours ago

Malign_causing,harmful

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Antonyms, beneficial

De facto, unreality

TQ so much ma'am your session is very important and interesting 🙏🙏 good night mam

But kosis he ki Monday winner 🏆 Mee Banu



The Shield TLC 🔥 1 day ago (edited)

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Antonyms:- aiding, helpful, benign, nice...!

De facto Sen:- with selective re centralisation measures de facto faderalism is gradually being institutionalized

Synonyms:- actual, genuine, final, proven...

Antonyms:- conjectural, illusory chimeric...!!!

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Nitika Gupta 1 day ago

Malign: harmful

De-facto: facts,reality



Sufi 17 hours ago (edited)

Malign :- evil in nature or effect

Synonyms :- despiteful, malevolent, rancorous, vicious, antagonistic

Antonyms :- aiding, helpful, benign, nice

De - facto :- as a matter of fact, in reality

Synonyms :- actual, factual, existing

Antonyms :- in theory, hypothetical, conjectured, vague, imagined, de jure

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Mini Chaubey 1 day ago

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Chandrika Gore 1 day ago

1. Malign: (Adj) harmful, evil,bad

causing or intending to cause harm or evil

(Verb) defame, slander

to say false and unpleasant things about someone, or to criticize someone unfairly

2. De-facto: (Adj) actual, existing

(Adv) in practice, in effect

existing in fact, although perhaps not intended, legal, or accepted

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Alok Kumar 1 day ago

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Malign = baleful, baneful

Malign: Formal confirmation or sanction.

De-Facto: The opinions that somebody expresses publicly about something

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Arbitrary(Adj.) : एकपक्षीय , मनमाना

Meaning : Not done for any particular reason.

Synonyms: Capricious , Whimsical

Antonyms : Rational , Accountable

Sentence: Patriotism is a arbitrary veneration of real estate above principles.

Impending(Adj.) : नजदीक का

Meaning : (esp. of something unpleasant) About to
happen soon

Synonyms: Imminent , Looming

Antonyms: Past , Distant

Sentence: The impending crisis over trade made
everyone nervous.

Heeds(Verb) : सावधानी

Meaning : To pay attention to advice, a warning, etc

Synonyms: Obey , Listen

Antonyms : Disdain , Disregard

Sentence: He was heeded as though he were a prophet
come down from the mountains.

Cliques(Noun) : षड्यंत्रकारियों इत्यादि का दल

Meaning : A narrow exclusive circle or group of persons

Synonyms: Coterie , Clan

Antonyms: Dissociate , Shun

Sentence: Our golf club is run by a very unfriendly clique (of people).

Dispel(Verb) : दूर हो जाना

Meaning : To remove fears, doubts, or false ideas

Synonyms : Dissipate , Banish

Antonyms : Welcome , accept

Sentence: She made an official statement to dispel any rumors about her retirement.

Punitive(Adj.) : दंडात्मक

Meaning : Intended as a punishment

Synonyms : Retaliatory , Vindictive

Antonyms : Beneficial , Rewarding

Sentence: The UN has imposed punitive sanctions on the invading country.

Seldom(Adverb) : कभी-कभी

Meaning : Almost never

Synonyms: Rarely , Sporadically

Antonyms: Frequently , Often

Sentence: My grandmother used to go out for a walk almost every day, but now she seldom, if ever, goes out.

Bodes(Verb) : भविष्य-कथन करना

**Meaning : To be a sign of something good or bad for
the future**

Synonyms: Portend , Presage

**Sentence: The harsh reviews do not bode kindly on the
playwright's latest stage production.**

Perceived(Verb) : महसूस किया

Meaning : To attain awareness or understanding of

Synonyms: Discern , Grasp

Antonyms: Avoid , Dodge

Sentence: A key task is to get pupils to perceive for
themselves the relationship between success and effort.



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Ramifications(Noun) : असर , जटिलता

Meaning : The possible result of a
decision or action

Synonyms: Consequence , Implication

Alliance(Noun) : संबंध , समझौता

Meaning : A formal agreement or treaty
between two or more nations to
cooperate for specific purposes

Synonyms: Accord , Treaty

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Vague(Adj.) : अस्पष्ट

Meaning : Not clear or definite

Synonyms: Misty , Blurry

Seeking(Noun) : मांगना

Meaning : To try to find or get something

Synonyms: Exploring , Searching

Find Out ?

Wane(Verb) : कम होना

Meaning : To decrease in strength,
intensity

Synonyms : Dwindle , Diminish

Find Out ?

Diversity(Noun) : विविधता

Meaning : The wide variety of something

Synonyms : Divergence , Multifariousness

Beleaguered(Adj.) : परेशान

Meaning : Having a lot of problems
or difficulties

Synonyms: Deserted , Blockade

Find Out ?

Unleash(Verb): शुरू करना

Meaning : To let happen or begin something powerful that, once begun, cannot be controlled

Synonyms: Unbridle , Release

Squashed(Verb) : कुचलना

Meaning : To press or beat into a pulp or a flat mass : crush

Synonyms: Squeeze , Flatten

Transfers unexplained: On the transfer of High Court judges

THE HINDU EDITORIAL ANALYSIS



A JURY OF JUDGES

WHAT IS THE COLLEGIUM SYSTEM?

- A forum which decides on **appointments, transfers (A/Ts)** of judges.
- Born from 'Three Judges Cases' which gave **primacy to CJI's call on A/Ts**
- Comprised of Chief Justice of India, **4 Supreme Court Judges**
- Judiciary gets **greater say than Executive on A/Ts**
- President merely **approves CJI's choice**

CRITICISMS

- **Administrative burden** of checking professional background data
- Closed-door affair, **lacks transparency**
- **Exclusivity** sidelines talented junior judges, advocates

SOME OF THE CHANGES SOUGHT:

- CJI cannot make **unilateral choice**
- Consulted judges' views need to be **in writing**
- **Non-compliance** must make CJI choice **non-binding**
- Transfer of Judges reviewable only in case of **non-compliance**

The common criticism that the functioning of the Collegium system of judicial appointments is opaque, and sometimes arbitrary, seems to hold greater validity in the matter of transfers of judges from one High Court to another. A recent round of transfers — among the dozens that have been effected in the last few years — has brought the controversial issue to the fore again. The list included three judges from the Telangana High Court, and two each from the Madras and Andhra Pradesh High Courts. Conspicuously absent was the name of Justice Nikhil S. Kariel, a Gujarat High Court judge whose proposed transfer was strongly opposed by the bar in that State. Lawyers took up the issue in support of Justice Kariel, as well as Justice A. Abhishek Reddy of the Telangana High Court, and the Chief Justice of India met with representatives of the Bar from both States. Yet, the transfer of Justice Kariel alone did not materialise, while the transfers of other judges were notified. If reports that the Gujarat High Court Chief Justice was unaware of the impending transfer of Justice Kariel are correct, it bodes ill for the legitimacy of transfer proposals.

No good message is being sent if it is perceived that the Collegium heeds the demand made by one set of lawyers, but ignores that of another group.

Transfer of judges may be needed for exchange of talent across the country and to prevent the emergence of local cliques in the judiciary. However, the power of transfer has always been seen as a possible threat to judicial independence. Even under the Collegium system, it seems it is difficult to dispel the impression that the threat of transfer hangs over every judge's head. The Memorandum of Procedure is clear that a judge's consent is not necessary to effect a transfer. The current norm is that all transfers ought to be in public interest, that is, for better administration of justice throughout the country. It also says the personal factors of the judge, including his preference of places, should invariably be taken into account. No one knows if these requirements are fulfilled in each case. Why a puisne judge should be shifted to another State without being made a Chief Justice is seldom explained.

Usually, it sets off speculation that the reasons are either allegations against the judge or the discomfiture that his judicial orders are causing to the government. Disclosure of the actual reason may not always be possible. However, it hardly needs to be stressed that transfer cannot be used as a punitive step. The time may have come for a complete review of the provisions for transfer of High Court judges.

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