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OMINOUSLY (ADVERB)

Meaning: to describe an action or manner that suggests something bad, threatening, or foreboding is about to happen.

Synonym: Menacingly, threateningly, forebodingly, portentously

Antonym: Reassuringly, optimistically, cheerfully, hopefully

Example Sentence: The CEO's announcement about potential layoffs hung ominously in the air, causing anxiety among the employees.



✓ IMPERILLED(ADJ.)

Meaning: being in danger, at risk, or facing a threat to safety or well-being.

Synonyms: Endangered, jeopardized, at risk,
threatened, precarious

✓ Antonyms: Safe, secure, protected, out of danger,
unharmed

Example Sentence:

The imperilled species of birds faced extinction due to
habitat loss and environmental changes.



ABROGATION(noun)

Meaning: The act of repealing, abolishing, or formally putting an end to a law, agreement, custom, or right

Synonyms: Repeal, annulment, revocation, nullification, cancellation

Antonyms: Confirmation, endorsement, approval, ratification, enactment

Example Sentence: The abrogation of the outdated policy paved the way for a more inclusive and equitable approach.



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AUDACIOUS (adj.)

Meaning: someone or something that is bold, daring, or fearless, often with a willingness to take risks or engage in actions that others might find surprising or unconventional.

Synonyms: Bold, daring, fearless, courageous, adventurous

Antonyms: Cautious, timid, reserved, fearful, conservative

Example Sentence:

Her audacious plan to start her own business at such a young age impressed many in the industry.



LEGITIMISE (VERB)

Meaning: To make something legal, valid, or acceptable according to established rules or standards.

Synonyms: Validate, authorize, legitimize, legalize, sanction

Antonyms: Invalidate, illegalize, prohibit, disallow

Example Sentence:

The government passed a law to legitimise the use of certain medicinal herbs for therapeutic purposes.



UNCONSCIONABLE (ADJ.)

Meaning: something that is extremely unfair, unreasonable, or morally unacceptable

Synonyms: Unfair, unjust, excessive, immoral, unethical

Antonyms: Fair, just, reasonable, conscionable, ethical

Example Sentence:

The company's decision to exploit child labor was deemed unconscionable by human rights advocates.



ENUNCIATE (VERB)

Meaning: **to pronounce words or express ideas clearly and distinctly.**

Synonyms: **Articulate, pronounce, express, state, vocalize**

Antonyms: **Mumble, slur, garble, muffle, stutter**

Example Sentence:

It's important to enunciate your words when speaking in public to ensure that your message is understood by the audience.



ENVISAGE (VERB)

Meaning: to contemplate, visualize, or foresee something in the future.

Synonyms: Contemplate, visualize, imagine, foresee, picture

Antonyms: Disregard, ignore, overlook, neglect, forget

Example Sentence:

She could hardly envisage the challenges that awaited her on the adventurous journey.



PECULIAR (ADJ.)

Meaning: It often refers to something unusual, strange, or distinctive in a way that is different from what is normal or expected.

Synonyms: Odd, strange, unique, distinct, unusual

Antonyms: Common, typical, ordinary, familiar, conventional

Example Sentence: The peculiar sound coming from the old house at night made the neighborhood residents uneasy.



PHRASAL VERB



Bring it on a par with: **To make equal or equivalent**

Cheer about: **To feel happy about something**

Gone onto: **Proceeded**

Hollow out: **To remove the core part of something**

Blown away at: **completely destroyed**

Phrasal verb

Verb + prep.



ARTICLE ANALYSIS

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What is the tone used in the passage by the author?

1. Approving
2. Alarmist
3. Indifferent
4. Enthusiastic
5. Critical



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