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WORDS WITH PICTURE



INEBRIATED



Parts of Speech : **Adjective**

Meaning : **a state of intoxication, typically due to the consumption of alcohol or drugs; drunk or intoxicated.**

Synonyms : **Hammered , Sloshed**

Antonyms : **Temperate , Abstinent**

Sentence : **After consuming**



Gurugram Police Commissioner Kala Ramachandran on Thursday said the interrogation of the accused arrested in connection with the communal clashes in the city did not suggest that the violence was planned in advance.

“For instance, in one case, a group of young men resorted to violence after getting **inebriated**,” Ms. Ramachandran said at a press conference here.

Incidents of violence



TARNISH

Parts of Speech : **Verb**

Meaning : **to make something lose its shine, luster, or value.**

Synonyms : **Taint , Defile**

Antonyms : **Purify , Brighten**

Sentence : **Leaving the silverware out in the open caused it to tarnish and lose its shine.**



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their consent.

Addressing a press conference in Delhi, Mr. Chadha said as per the Rajya Sabha rule book, neither a signature nor written consent from those being proposed to a Select Committee is needed.

AAP MP Sanjay Singh said, "The BJP's ulterior motive is to **tarnish** the reputation of Raghav Chadha. If they try to revoke his [Rajya Sabha] membership through these baseless allegations, we are more than confident that he will be re-elected."



BARRAGE

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

Meaning : **something that comes quickly and heavily — as an attack of bullets or artillery, or a fast spray of words.**

Synonyms : **Shower , Volley**

Antonyms : **Dribble , Scarcity**

Sentence : **The city experienced a barrage of heavy rain and strong winds during the storm.**





ITO barrage row: AAP leader slams Haryana govt.

The Hindu Bureau

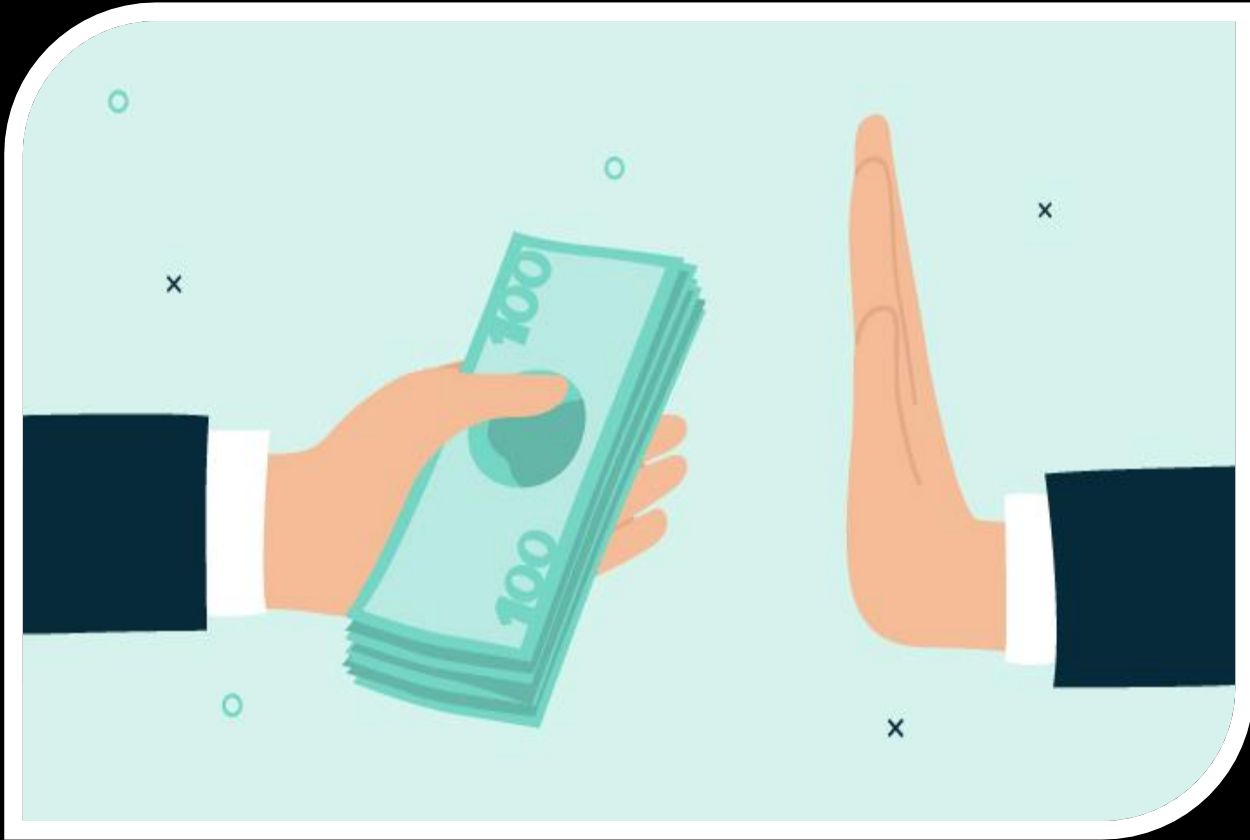
NEW DELHI

AAP leader Saurabh Bharadwaj on Thursday slammed the BJP-led Haryana government for “finally” accepting that the ITO barrage belongs to them.

Mr. Bharadwaj alleged that BJP had refused to acknowledge this but has finally admitted it after Haryana government suspended the Chief Engineer. He said initially BJP MP Ramesh Bidhuri had denied that the barrage belonged to them.



GRAFT



Parts of Speech : **Noun & Verb**

Meaning : **obtaining money, advantage, or position through dishonest or unfair means**

Synonyms : **Bribery , Fraud**

Antonyms : **Honesty , Integrity**

Sentence : **Some officials were found guilty of grafting funds from public projects for their personal gain.**



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METTLE



Meaning : The ability to cope with difficulties, challenges, and adversity; strength of character, determination, and courage.

Synonyms: Grit , Stamina

Antonyms: Timidity ,
POSS : Noun

Weakness
Sentence : In times of crisis, his unwavering mettle and leadership qualities



Risky recourse

RBI's inflation-fighting mettle will
be tested in the months ahead



MUCKRAKIN

Meaning : The practice of exposing and criticizing corruption, dishonesty, and societal issues, especially through investigative journalism or other forms of media.

Synonyms: Exposé

Antonyms: Censorship

Whatwasking journalism can sometimes sensationalize issues for higher readership.





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PROVENANCE

Meaning : The origin, source, or history of something; the record of ownership and history of a work of art, artifact, or valuable object.

Synonyms: Source , Heritage

Antonyms: Mystery , Obscurity

POS : Noun

Sentence : The collector was particularly interested in the provenance of the antique furniture he was considering



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YOMP

Meaning : To march or walk energetically and briskly, especially over a long distance or difficult terrain, often carrying heavy equipment or a backpack.

Synonyms: Trek , March

Antonyms: Linger , Saunter

POS : Verb

Sentence : The hikers decided to yomp to the summit of the mountain to



Know your English

K. Subrahmanian

“Sir, Mr. P. Abdul Aziz, JNTU College of Engineering, Kakinada, wants to know the meaning of ‘vegan’ and ‘yomp’.”

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE





Synonyms of Virility : पुरुषत्व

1. Tranquility
2. Masculinity
3. Indecisive
4. Insanity
5. Chivalry

Meaning : Virility- (in a man) the quality of having strength, energy; manliness.

Solution : Masculinity





Antonyms of Extraneous : बाहरी

1. Adventitious
2. Extrinsic
3. Irrelevant
4. Inconsequential
5. Material

Meaning : Extraneous- irrelevant or unrelated to the subject being dealt with

Solution : Material



Antonyms of Enact : क़ानून बनाना

1. Ratify
2. Endorse
3. Repeal
4. Uphold
5. Vindicate

Meaning : Enact- put into practice (an idea or suggestion)

Solution : Repeal



Synonyms of Perishes : नष्ट हो जाना

1. Capricious
2. Juncture
3. Die
4. Immutable
5. Perch

Meaning : Capricious means given to sudden and unaccountable changes of mood or behavior. Juncture- point of time, perch-an object on which a bird alights or roosts.





ONE WORD SUBSTITUTION



A system of naming things

1. _Horticulture
2. Miniature
3. Genocide
4. Nomenclature
5. None of the above

Solution : Option 4



A raised passageway in a building

1. Walkaway
2. Walkout
3. Walkabout
4. Walkover
5. None Of the Above

Solution : Option 1



A cure for all diseases

1. Laxative
2. Panacea
3. Antidote
4. Purgative
5. None of the above

Solution : Option 2



Scrape the barrel



1. Being grumpy or angry about something
2. Making the most of the worst situations or things because you can't do anything about it
3. Doing something that makes it impossible to go back to the original state.
4. Doing something that has never been done before



Keep an ear to the ground

1. Staying informed and updated about everything
2. Doing something in an easier and least expensive manner
3. Eating too excessively
4. Being ignored

Solution : **Option 1**



Break fresh/ new ground

1. I do not know
2. Go to sleep
3. To have patience
4. Doing something that has never been done before

Solution : Option 4





HOMework

Get your act together



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YOU**