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False alarm: On the outbreak of influenza-like illness in China

The rise in flu cases in China is due to increased surveillance

No vote for veto: On Governors and their powers

Supreme Court has done well to remove the veto power of Governors





VOCABULARY



EPIDEMIOLOGIC (ADJ.)

Meaning : **Pertaining to epidemiology, which involves the study of the patterns, causes, and effects of health and disease conditions in defined populations.**

Synonyms: **health-related, population-based**

Antonyms: **individual-focused**

Sentence : **The epidemiologic investigation revealed a significant increase in the incidence of a rare disease in the local population.**



STRIKING(adj.)

Meaning : **Attracting attention or notice due to being unusual, remarkable, or impressive.**

Synonyms: **eye-catching, notable, conspicuous**

Antonyms: **Ordinary, unremarkable, commonplace**

Sentence : **The artist's striking use of color and form captivated everyone who entered the gallery.**



OUTPATIENT(NOUN)

Meaning : **A patient who receives medical treatment without being admitted to a hospital.**

Synonyms: **Ambulatory patient, day patient**

Antonyms: **non-admitted, non-residential**

Sentence : **The new clinic specializes in outpatient care, providing medical services to individuals without requiring them to stay overnight in a hospital.**



CRUX(noun)

Meaning : The central or most important point; the essential or decisive element of something.

Synonyms: Core, essence, heart, nucleus, key point

Antonyms: Periphery, fringe, superficiality

Sentence : The crux of the matter was that effective communication was necessary for the success of the project.



TENET(noun)

Meaning : A principle or belief, especially one of the main principles of a religion or philosophy.

Synonyms: Doctrine, dogma, principle, belief, creed

Antonyms: Heresy, disbelief, dissent

Sentence : The tenet of the organization is to promote equality and social justice for all members of the community.



RECONVENED(NOUN)

Meaning : To convene or assemble again, especially after a break or adjournment.

Synonyms: reassembled, regathered

Antonyms: Adjourned, dispersed, disbanded

Sentence : After a short recess, the meeting reconvened to discuss the remaining agenda items.



PROROGUED(VERB)

Meaning : To discontinue a session of a legislative body without dissolving it; to temporarily suspend or postpone.

Synonyms: Postponed, suspended, deferred, adjourned

Antonyms: Convened, resumed, continued

Sentence : The parliament prorogued its session due to unforeseen circumstances, with plans to reconvene in a month.



DIVESTED(ADJ.)

Meaning : To strip or deprive someone or something of certain attributes, possessions, or characteristics.

Synonyms: dispossessed, unloaded, sold off

Antonyms: Endowed, invested, adorned, retained

Sentence : The company divested itself of non-core businesses in order to focus on its primary strengths and improve profitability.



IDIOMS & PHRASES



The crux of

Meaning : **The most important central point of an issue**

In line with

Meaning : **In agreement with**



PHRASAL VERB



DEALS WITH

Meaning : **Concerns or addresses a specific matter**

DIVESTED OF

Meaning : **Deprived of a particular power or right**



ARTICLE ANALYSIS

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

1. Critical
2. Neutral
3. Informative
4. Skeptical



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