VOCABULARY FOR 16 FEBRUARY 2023

1. HARBOUR (VERB): shelter

Synonyms: conceal, hide

Antonyms: hand over

Example Sentence: He was

suspected of harboring an escaped

prisoner.

2. SEIZURE (NOUN):

confiscation

Synonyms: impounding,

commandeering

Antonyms: restitution

Example Sentence: Cowed by the bold seizure of the leaders, the

states of Holland submitted.

3. PRECEDE (VERB): lead up to

Synonyms: pave the way for, set

the scene for

Antonyms: follow

Example Sentence: A gun battle

had preceded the explosions.

4. VANITY (NOUN): conceit

Synonyms: self-conceit,

narcissism **Antonyms:** modesty

Example Sentence: It flattered bis vanity to think I was in layer

his vanity to think I was in love

with him.

5. SPECIFIC (ADJECTIVE):

particular Synonyms: specified,

certain Antonyms: general

Example Sentence: Huge savings were made to meet specific development needs.

6. STARTLE (VERB): surprise

Synonyms: frighten, scare

Antonyms: put at ease

Example Sentence: A sudden

sound in the doorway startled her.

7. CHRONIC (ADJECTIVE):

constant

Synonyms: continuing, continual

Antonyms: temporary

Example Sentence: The schools

seldom suffer from chronic

overcrowding.

8. CONFIDE (VERB): reveal

Synonyms: disclose, divulge

Antonyms: keep from

Example Sentence: He confided

his fears to his mother.

9. SANCTION (NOUN):penalty

Synonyms: punishment,

deterrent

Antonyms: reward

Example Sentence: A range of sanctions were aimed at deterring

insider abuse.

10. COMPREHENSIVE (ADJECTIVE): inclusive

(ADSECTIVE): illetasive

Synonyms: all-inclusive complete

Antonyms: partial

Example Sentence: Her

collection of photographs was anything but comprehensive.

