

## WORD LIST-2 (APR 28, 2023)

21. **alleged** (adjective) – supposed, claimed, professed, purported, reported, ostensible.
22. **measure** (noun) – action, step, move, procedure.
23. **in this regard** (phrase) – in connection with the matter just mentioned.
24. **unveil** (verb) – launch, release, introduce.
25. **Manufactured sand (M-Sand)** (noun) – artificial sand produced from crushing hard stones into small sand sized angular shaped particles, washed and finely graded to be used as construction aggregate. It is a superior alternative to River Sand for construction purpose.
26. **unequivocal** (adjective) – unambiguous, incontrovertible, undeniable; crystal clear, well defined, categorical, outright, certain, decisive.
27. **tone up** (phrasal verb) – energize, strengthen, fortify, firm up, vitalize.
28. **fall short** (phrase) – fail to meet/reach; be deficient/inadequate/insufficient.
29. **solatium** (noun) – compensation.
30. **compassionate** (adjective) – humane, caring, empathetic, considerate, sympathetic, kind-hearted.
31. **grounds** (noun) – reason, cause, basis.
32. **apprehend** (verb) – catch, capture, nab, arrest.
33. **conviction** (noun) – sentence, judgement, verdict.
34. **expeditiously** (adverb) – instantly, promptly, immediately, quickly; swiftly.
35. **ponder over** (phrasal verb) – consider deliberately, examine attentively, think about, give thought to, reflect about, contemplate.
36. **efficacy** (noun) – potency, power, effectiveness, usefulness.
37. **concerning** (preposition) - regarding, with regard to, with reference to.
38. **regulatory** (adjective) – managerial, governing, supervisory; administrative.
39. **mechanism** (noun) – apparatus, medium, agency, instrument, channel.
40. **authorities** (noun) – officials, officialdom, the bureaucracy.
41. **regardless of** (preposition) - despite, in spite of, notwithstanding.
42. **room** (noun) – scope, chance, leeway, freedom, latitude, opportunity (for something to happen).
43. **murderous** (adjective) – brutal, savage, vicious, bloodthirsty, barbaric, cruel, inhuman.

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