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WORD LIST-2 (JUN 25, 2022)

1. have one too many (phrase) – reach a tipping point; overwhelm; drink too much alcohol.
2. tussle (noun) – scuffle, fight, struggle, skirmish, clash, quarrel, squabble, contention.
3. marginalisation (noun) – an act of making something as insignificant/unimportant.
4. pre-dawn (adjective) – taking place before dawn (early morning).
5. strip of (verb) - deprive of, deny, remove, dispossess, take away from (a power/position).
6. isolation (noun) - separation, loneliness, aloneness.
7. it is only a matter of time (phrase) – if you say that something is just a matter of time, you mean that it is certain to occur at some time in the future.
8. come under (phrasal verb) – be subject to (an authority).
9. legislator (noun) – a member of a legislature (parliament/legislative assembly); lawmaker, representative.
10. disproportionate (adjective) – inordinate, immoderate, excessive.
11. clout (noun) – influence, power, weight, sway, leverage.
12. affairs (noun) - concerns, matters, activities.
13. bye-law/by-law (noun) – regulation, statute, enactment, act (by a local authority).
14. restraining order (noun) – prohibition, ban/bar; a preliminary order to ban someone doing a particular action.
15. bench (noun) – a court of law with a number of judges.
16. restrain (verb) - limit, restrict, control, contain, curb
17. resolution (noun) – solution, settlement.
18. prima facie (adverb/adjective) – something (first impression) considered as right until proved.
19. interim (adjective) – provisional, temporary, short-term.
20. scuttle (verb) - hurry, hasten, make haste, rush, run.
21. impromptu (adjective) - unprepared, unscripted, unplanned.
22. eleventh-hour (adjective) – last-minute, last-ditch, final, the last moment; almost too late.

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23. intervention (noun) – the process of intervening in something; involvement, interference.; mediation, mediatorship, arbitration, conciliation, peacemaking.
24. prejudice (noun) – bigotry, bias, partiality, one-sidedness, unfairness, inequality.
25. subsequently (adverb) – afterwards, later on, in due course.
26. remedy (noun) – solution, answer, antidote/panacea.
27. go against (phrasal verb) – oppose, resist, be contrary to something.
28. seek (verb) – request, ask for, appeal for.
29. restraint (noun) – restriction, limitation, control, curtailment.
30. aggrieved (adjective) – disgruntled, dissatisfied, unhappy, upset, annoyed, disappointed.
31. in place (phrase) – established, arranged, in order.
32. contend (verb) - claim, assert, declare, state, argue, charge.
33. lack (verb) – be in need of, need, require, want.
34. unamendable (adjective) – not capable of being amended or corrected.
35. effect (verb) – carry out, bring/carry off, conduct, perform, do discharge.
36. subsequent (adjective) – following, ensuing, succeeding, successive.
37. ultimately (adverb) – finally, eventually, in the end.
38. take up (phrasal verb) – accept, say yes to, agree to, accede to, adopt.
39. ratify (verb) - confirm, approve, sanction, endorse, agree to, accept, uphold, authorize, validate, recognize.
40. non-ratification (noun) – non-confirmation, non-approval non-endorsement, non-acceptance.
41. play a role (phrase) – contribute to, be instrumental in, be a factor in.
42. subordinate (adjective) – secondary, subsidiary, of little importance.
43. strike out (phrasal verb) – be unsuccessful, fail; dismiss.
44. on one's own (phrase) - unaided, unassisted, without help, without assistance, by oneself, all alone.

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