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## **WORD LIST-2 (MAR 30, 2023)**

1. **time to move on** (phrase) – to stop concentrating on someone/something so as to proceed with a different place, subject, activity, etc.
2. **move on** (phrasal verb) – to stop thinking/doing something and start thinking/doing something anew.
3. **move** (noun) – step, act, action, measure.
4. **overcome** (verb) - control, prevail over, get over, get control of, get the better of, get a grip on.
5. **factionalism** (noun) – it refers to conflict and infighting between small groups (factions) within a larger one, especially in politics.
6. **play a role** (phrase) – contribute to, be instrumental in, be a factor in.
7. **credible** (adjective) – acceptable, trustworthy, reliable, dependable; believable, plausible, reasonable.
8. **sooner rather than later** (phrase) – soon, immediately, without delay.
9. **in favour of** (phrase) – in support of; to the advantage of.
10. **interim** (adjective) – provisional, temporary, short-term, transitional.
11. **concerning** (preposition) - with regard to, regarding, as to, in respect of, with reference to.
12. **resolution** (noun) – proposal, decision, declaration; solution, conclusion, settlement.
13. **lead to** (verb) – cause, bring about, result in, produce, give rise to.
14. **bête noire** (noun) - "black beast" in French; a person or thing that you dislike very much; antagonist, bitter enemy, adversary, bugbear, anathema, abomination.
15. **Division Bench** (noun) – a bench of two or three judges is called a division bench.
16. **Constitution Bench** (noun) – a bench of the Supreme Court having five or more judges on it. These benches are not a routine phenomenon. Constitution Benches are exceptions, set up only if some circumstances exist.
17. **bench** (noun) – a court of law with a number of judges.
18. **much-needed** (adjective) – needed to a large extent/degree/level; highly important, vital, essential.
19. **ruling** (noun) – decision, judgement, finding, verdict, resolution.
20. **unopposed** (adjective) - not opposed; unchallenged (in an election).
21. **erupt** (verb) – break out, flare up, blow up, boil over, start suddenly.
22. **unitary** (adjective) – relating to a system of organization in which power is provided to the central body.

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23. lock in (phrasal verb) – be involved in a competitive situation.
24. litigation (noun) - trial, inquiry, legal proceeding(s).
25. judiciary (noun) – a branch of government in which judicial power is vested.
26. affirm (verb) – certify, declare, state, pronounce positively.
27. uphold (verb) – confirm, endorse/approve, vindicate/validate.
28. conduct (noun) - organization, coordination, handling.
29. resources (noun) – a source of support; an available means of aid; a stock or supply of assets.
30. entity (noun) – organization, establishment, body, unit.
31. intra- (prefix) – within.
32. inter- (prefix) – between.
33. squabble (noun) - dispute, quarrel, fight, disagreement, difference of opinion.
34. perception (noun) – understanding, feeling, impression, discernment, judgement, recognition/realization; interpretation.
35. functioning (noun) - operation, performance.
36. base (noun) – a group of people considered as supporting an organization/party.
37. head (verb) - be in charge of, be at the head of, manage, oversee.
38. coalition (noun) – alliance, association, union, partnership.
39. rival (noun) – opponent, adversary, contender, competitor.
40. go by (phrasal verb) – to follow something; accept, agree, comply (with).
41. float (verb) – put forward, come up with, propose, posit, present.
42. fructify (verb) – make fruitful/productive.
43. ally (noun) – partner, supporter, confederate.
44. engage (verb) - involve in.
45. patch up (phrasal verb) – restore, reconcile, make up, settle, conciliate (friendly relations).
46. go it alone (phrase) – act by oneself without help.
47. end up (phrasal verb) – finish up, turn up, come/appear, find oneself (to a particular course of action in the end).
48. take away (phrasal verb) – remove, withdraw, eliminate, discard.
49. well-meaning (adjective) - well-intentioned.
50. discourse (noun) – discussion, conversation, communication, expression.
51. certainly (adverb) – surely, unquestionably, definitely, beyond question.

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