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## 1. Disenfranchisement

Kannada: ಹಕ್ಕು ನಿರಾಕರಣೆ, ನಿರ್ಲಕ್ಷಿತ,

ಮತದಾನದ ಹಕ್ಕನ್ನು

Hindi: मताधिकार

Meaning: the state of being deprived of a right or privilege, especially the right to vote.

Synonyms: disallow, forbid, proscribe Antonyms: authorize, entitle, privilege Sentence:

- The widespread disenfranchisement of minority voters.
- The decision fueled a sense disenfranchisement.
- election on To base an entire personality in this way only deepens our political disenfranchisement.

#### 2. Ulterior

Kannada: ದೂರದ, ಆಚೆಯ, ಭವಿಷ್ಯದ, ಒಳಗಿನ, ಮೀರಿದ, ಗುಪ್ಪ, ಹೊರಗಿರುವ, ಅವ್ಯಕ್ತ, ಅತೀತವಾದ, ಆಚೆಯ, ಆಮೇಲಿನ, ಗುಟ್ಟಾದ, ಹಿನ್ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ

Hindi : ग्प्त

Meaning: existing beyond what is obvious or admitted; intentionally hidden.

Synonyms: underlying, undisclosed,

undivulged

Antonyms: visible, exposed

Sentence:

- I want to know what is your ulterior action?
- Could there be an ulterior motive behind his request?
- This document must not be used for an ulterior purpose.
- I wonder if they know about my ulterior motive.
- Has it ever occurred to anyone the **ulterior** motive behind these shows?

# 3. Vigilantism

Kannada : ಜಾಗರೂಕತೆ, ಉಸುವಾರಿ

ನೋಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ, ಎಚ್ಚರದಿಂದಿರುವ, ಜಾಗ್ರತವಾದ

Hindi: अतिसतर्कता

Meaning: law enforcement undertaken without legal authority by a self-appointed group of people.

Synonyms: nemesis, avenger, punisher, chastiser, scourge, revenger, castigator, redresser

#### Sentence:

- The message here is not to encourage vigilantism.
- We do not want to live in a society which tolerates vigilantism.
- We encourage respect for the law and discourage vigilantism.

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- The killing is another example of the type of mob violence and vigilantism infecting the country.
- I think in our particular neighbourhood, vigilantism is becoming real possibility.

## 4. Sacrilege

Kannada : ತ್ಯಾಗ, ಅಪಚಾರ, ಅಗೌರವ, ಅವಮರ್ಯಾದೆ, ದೈವದ್ರೋಹ, ದೇವತಾ ದೂಷಣ, ದೇವಾಲಯ, ದರೋಡೆ, ದೇವಾಲಯದ ದರೋಡೆ, ಧರ್ಮವನ್ನು ಉಲ್ಲಂಘಿಸುವುದು, ಅಪವಿತ್ರ<mark>ಗ</mark>ೊಳಿಸುವುದು

Hindi: अपवित्रीकरण

Meaning: violation or misuse of what is regarded as sacred.

Synonyms: desecration, profanity, profaneness

Antonyms: adoration, glorification, worship

#### Sentence:

- It is sacrilege to steal a crucifix from an altar.
- He would be found guilty of sacrilege.
- He was even prepared to utter what would once have been considered sacrilege.

- Some might consider this sacrilege, but the contrast with Shakespeare's play, Othello, is striking.
- Renaming the ground KitKat Crescent is sacrilege.

#### 5. Redundant

Kannada: ಅನಗತ್ಯ, ಅಧಿಕ, ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ, ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ, ಪುನರುಚ್ಚರಿಸಿದ, ಮಿತಿಮೀರಿದ, ಬೇಡದ, ಅತಿರಿಕ್ಕ, ಬೇಕಾಗದ, ಅನವಶ್ಯಕವಾದ, ಅಗತ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಮೀರಿದ, ಅವಶ್ಯಕ್ಕಿಂತ ಜಾಸ್ತಿ, ಪುನರುಕ್ತಿಯ, ಶಬ್ದಾಧಿಕ್ಯದ

Hindi: अनावश्यक

Meaning: not or no longer needed or useful; superfluous.

Synonyms: unnecessary, not required, inessential

Antonyms: necessary, essential, useful

Sentence: The illustration had too much

- redundant detail. months later Six he was made
- redundant by the small firm that employed him.
- My wife was made redundant two weeks after we launched the business.
- These ancient crafts are now redundant.
- That is because St Martin's Church in When by was redundant.

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## 6. Perpetrated

Kannada: ಅಪರಾಧ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ತಪ್ಪುಮಾಡು, ಅಪರಾಧ ಮಾಡು, ಕೇಡು ನಡೆಸು, ಪ್ರಮಾದವೆಸಗು

Hindi: पाप करना

Meaning: carry out or commit (a harmful, illegal, or immoral action).

Synonyms: commit, carry out, perform Antonyms: skimped, slighted, slurred Sentence:

- A crime has been **perpetrated** against a sovereign state.
- Much violence was perpetrated in the war.
- We shall avenge crimes the perpetrated against our ancestors.

## 7. Vaguely

Kannada: ಅಸ್ಪಷ್ಟವಾಗಿ, ಸಂದಿಗ್ಧವಾಗಿ, ಸಂದಿಗ್ನ, ಅನಿಶ್ಚಿತ, ಖಚಿತವಲ್ಲದ, ತೆಳುವಲ್ಲದ, ಅನಿರ್ದಿಷ್ಟ, ಕಂಡಿತವಲ್ಲದ, ಅಸ್ಭುಟ

Hindi: अनिश्च्त रूप से

Meaning: in a way that is uncertain,

indefinite or unclear; roughly.

Synonyms: roughly, more or less,

approximately

Antonyms: considerably, extensively,

significantly

#### Sentence:

- He **vaguely** remembered talking to her once.
- She was **vaguely** aware of a pain in her left leg.
- Members in the clubs of the early 1830s had talked vaguely of votes for all.
- She said nothing at all, just smiled vaguely now and again.
- She nodded vaguely, as if she halfrecognized me.

#### 8. Draconian

Kannada: ಕಠಿಣ, ಕಡುಕಟ್ಟಿನ, ಕಡುಕಟ್ಟುನಿಟ್ಟಿನ

Hindi : कठोर

Meaning: (of laws or their application) excessively harsh and severe.

Synonyms: harsh, severe, strict

Antonyms: lenient, merciful, pitying

Sentence:

- The Nazis destroyed the independence of the press by a series of draconian laws.
- It is madness to suggest the **draconian** speeding laws we have should apply here.
- Mr Banks said that the legislation was **draconian** in its approach.

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New laws are being passed, draconian laws that destroy lives and syphon happiness.

It's about time we sorted a sensible compromise and not a draconian law.

## 9. Effrontery

Kannada: ಆಕ್ರಮಣಶೀಲತೆ, ನಿರ್ಲಜ್ಜ,

ಮಾನಗೆಟ್ಟತನ, ಸೊಕ್ಕು, ಉದ್ದಟತನ, ಧಾರ್ಷ್ಟ್ಯ, ಕಡುಪು, ಔದ್ಧತ್ಯ, ನಿರ್ಲಜ್ಜ ವ್ಯವಹಾರ, ಮಾನಗೆಟ್ಟತನ

Hindi: ग्रनाख़ी

Meaning: insolent or impertinent behavior.

Synonyms: impudence, impertinence, audacity

Antonyms: civility, courtesy, gentility Sentence:

- One juror had the **effrontery** to challenge the coroner's decision.
- On the whole, however, he carries the reader with him by sheer effrontery.
- One juror had the effrontery to challenge the coroner's decision.
- He then committed several acts of brazen effrontery.

## 10. Accentuate

Kannada: ಒತು ನೀಡಿ, ಬೆಳಸು, ವರ್ಧಿಸು,

ಅದಿಕಗೊಳಿಸು

Hindi: ध्यान आकर्षित करना

Meaning: make more noticeable or

prominent.

Synonyms: focus attention on, draw

attention to, highlight

Antonyms: underemphasize, understate,

belittle

#### Sentence:

- The photograph seemed to accentuate his large nose.
- He likes clothes that to wear accentuate his muscular build.
- We felt that the article accentuated [=emphasized] the positive aspects of the program.





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