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VOCABULARY

1. Scandals: Actions or events regarded as morally or legally wrong and causing general public outrage.
 - Synonyms: Controversies, affairs, disgraces
 - Antonyms: Honors, virtues, commendations
 - Sentence: The politician's career was ruined by a series of scandals.

2. Xenophobic: Having or showing a dislike of or prejudice against people from other countries.
 - Synonyms: Bigoted, intolerant, racist
 - Sentence: The party's xenophobic rhetoric alienated many potential voters.

3. Disavowed: Deny any responsibility or support for.
 - Synonyms: Rejected, renounced, repudiated
 - Antonyms: Acknowledged, accepted, endorsed
 - Sentence: The leader disavowed any connection to the extremist group.

4. Shoring up: Supporting or strengthening something.
 - Synonyms: Reinforcing, bolstering, buttressing
 - Antonyms: Weakening, undermining, sabotaging
 - Sentence: The government announced measures aimed at shoring up the economy.

5. Outlooked: Expected or forecasted.

- Synonyms: Predicted, anticipated, foreseen
- Antonyms: Ignored, disregarded, overlooked
- Example: The economic growth for the next quarter is outlooked to be promising.

6. Fostering: Encouraging or promoting the development of something.

- Synonyms: Nurturing, supporting, cultivating
- Antonyms: Discouraging, hindering, stifling
- Sentence: The organization is dedicated to fostering innovation and creativity.

7. Agile: Able to move quickly and easily.

- Synonyms: Nimble, quick, spry
- Antonyms: Clumsy, slow, sluggish
- Sentence: The agile dancer performed a series of complicated moves with ease.

8. Turmoil: A state of great disturbance, confusion, or uncertainty.

- Synonyms: Chaos, upheaval, disorder
- Antonyms: Calm, order, peace
- Sentence: The country has been in political turmoil for the past decade.

9. Eviction: The action of expelling someone, especially a tenant, from a property.

- Synonyms: Expulsion, removal, ejection
- Antonyms: Admission, acceptance, inclusion
- Sentence: The landlord issued an eviction notice to the tenants who had not paid rent for three months.

IDIOMS AND PHRASES

10. A dime a dozen : Anything that is common and easy to Get
11. At the drop of a hat : Something is happening instantly
12. Bite your tongue : To avoid talking
13. Dog days of summer : The hottest day of the summer Season
14. Bits and Pieces : Small things of different types

CURRENT AFFAIRS

6th July, 2024

- 1.** Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL), a 'Maharatna' and a Fortune Global 500 Company, has proudly announced its partnership with the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) as the official principal partner for four years, starting from Paris Olympics '24 through Los Angeles Olympics '28.
- 2.** Keir Starmer is all set to become the next Prime Minister of the United Kingdom following a historic victory by his centre-left Labour Party in the 2024 parliamentary election, ending 14 years of Conservative government.
 - Labour Party secured over 400 seats out of 650, well beyond the 326-seat majority required to govern in the UK. Meanwhile, according to a report from The Guardian, the Conservatives struggled to secure even 120 seats.
- 3.** The government of India has extended the centrally sponsored Smart Cities Mission until 31st March 2025. The scheme was originally to end on 30 June 2024.
 - The scheme was extended by the central government at the request of the state governments. No new projects will be sanctioned, and the existing sanctioned projects will be completed on a priority basis.

4. The Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (Mospi) has set up a 26-member Advisory Committee on National Accounts Statistics (ACNAS) to decide the base year for gross domestic product (GDP) data. Biswanath Goldar, former professor of the Institute of Economic Growth, has been appointed as its chairman.
5. In a significant development for biodiversity conservation, there has been first photographic evidence of the 'Mainland Serow,' recorded in Assam's Raimona National Park. It is a vulnerable mammal species recognised by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN).
6. The Centre notified the appointment of Justice Sheel Nagu as the Chief Justice of the Punjab & Haryana High Court.
 - Justice Nagu was serving as the Acting Chief Justice of the Madhya Pradesh High Court after Chief Justice Ravi Malimath demitted the office on May 24, 2024.
7. Bhopal, Chief Minister Dr. Mohan Yadav has said that our aim is to make all departments as accountable as possible towards the public. Lokpath Mobile App prepared by the Public Works Department is being launched with a view to continuously moving forward on the path of public welfare by adopting a more transparent and accountable working system towards the public.

- 8.** The 24th Meeting of the Council of Heads of State of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) was held on 4 July 2024 in Astana, the capital of Kazakhstan. Kazakhstan President Kassym-Jomart Tokayev hosted the summit meeting.
- The Eurasian country of Belarus was admitted as the 10th full member of the SCO. The Indian Prime Minister skipped the meeting, and India was represented by the External Affairs Minister Dr. S Jaishankar.
 - 16 world leaders, including Russian President Vladimir Putin, Chinese President Xi Jinping, Pakistani Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif, Uzbek President Shavkat Mirziyoyev, Tajik President Emomali Rahmon, and Kyrgyz President Sadyr Zhaparov, Belarus President Alexander Lukashenko, Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan, Azerbaijani President Ilham Aliyev and the United Nations Secretary-General Antonio Guterres also participated in the meeting.
- 9.** The Karnataka state government has established a nine-member committee to investigate the contamination of the Kaveri River and propose solutions to address the issue. This decision follows a letter from MLC Dinesh Gooligowda highlighting the release of sewage, solid waste, industrial pollutants, and other contaminants into the river, which negatively impacts marine life and public health.

10. Ex R & AW Chief Rajinder Khanna appointed new additional NSA.

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