

(i) Fill in the blank:

Each of the shortlisted candidates _____ (submit) their portfolios by tomorrow evening.

(ii) Identify the error and supply the correction:

The series of lectures on global governance were appreciated by all attendees.

Error: Correction:

(iii) Rewrite in reported speech:

Ria said to the counsellor, “Can you tell me where the new registration office is?”

(iv) Choose the correct option:

The officials refused to proceed unless the documents _____ verified by the audit team. (a) are (b) were © have been (d) had been

(v) Identify the error and supply the correction:

Neither the data nor the supporting documents were convinced enough to establish his theory.

Error: Correction:

(vi) Choose the correct modal auxiliary:

To avoid further penalties, the organisation _____ comply with the updated regulations immediately. (a) must (b) could © might (d) would

(vii) Convert to reported speech:

The scientist said, “Do not expose the samples to direct sunlight at any cost.”

(viii) Fill in the blank:

The panel _____ (review) the complaints before they published the final report.

(ix) Use the correct form of the word in brackets:

Her explanation was surprisingly _____ (convince), considering the complexity of the topic.

(x) Identify the error and supply the correction:

Hardly had he wrote the conclusion when the power went out.

Error: Correction

(xi) Choose the correct modal auxiliary:

If you had informed us earlier, we _____ arranged alternate accommodation.

(a) will have (b) can have © could have (d) must have

(xii) Rewrite in reported speech:

The manager said, "Make sure the updated schedule is circulated to every department today."