Types of Punishment

*Match the word or phrase **(a - j)** with its definition **(i - x)** as in the example.*

(a)	capital punishment	[ ]	**(i)**	is the death penalty
(b)	community service	[ ]	**(ii)**	is when a judge says an offender must serve at least a certain amount of time in jail (he may serve more)
(c)	probation	[ ]	**(iii)**	is a sentence which will only have to be served if the criminal re-offends
(d)	suspended sentence	[ ]	**(iv)**	is a sentence all of which must be served
(e)	parole	[ ]	**(v)**	is tagging an offender to keep an eye on them
(f)	mandatory sentence	[ ]	**(vi)**	is a sum of money paid as a penalty for a crime
(g)	minimum sentence	[ ]	**(vii)**	is a sentence whereby the offender is required to work for a certain period of time voluntarily on local projects
(h)	electronic monitoring	[ ]	**(viii)**	is the payment of damages to the victim of a crime
(i)	restitution	[ ]	**(ix)**	is the early release of a prisoner on good behaviour or for compassionate reasons
(j)	fine	[ ]	**(x)**	is the setting free of a criminal under the supervision of the court or the local police

Verb Collocations

Select a word from the box below to fit in each gap. Use each word only once. You may need to change the tense of the verb you use in some cases.

hand down	impose	dismiss
overturn	settle	claim
reach	threat	
appeal	grant	

(a) He was _____ parole on account of his good behaviour.

(b) The disputing parties _____ an out-of-court settlement, the details of which were not made public.

(c) She is _____ damages of $1 billion for loss of earnings as a consequence of the libelous newspaper report.

(d) She is _____ to sue if the paper prints the pictures of her private holiday in Barbados.

(e) They _____ the case on the steps of the court building, minutes before proceedings were due to get underway.

(f) The judge _____ a mandatory life sentence to the defendant on account of the serious nature of the crime.

(g) The judge _____ a fine of £500 on the defendant for failing to pay his parking tickets.

(h) The verdict was _____ on appeal to the High Court.

(i) He is _____ the verdict; the case will be reheard in ten days' time.

(j) The judge _____ his appeal, allowing the original verdict to stand.

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