

IDIOMATIC EXPRESSIONS

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| About to: | almost ready to |
| Better off: | in an improved condition |
| As a matter of fact: | in reality; actually |
| Break in (on): | interrupt |
| Bank on: | depend on; count on |

Exercise: Fill in the blanks in the sentences or dialogs with idioms from the list above. It may be necessary to change the verb forms in order for the sentence to be grammatically correct.

1.- "Can you talk now?"

"No, I'm go to the grocery store, but I'll call you as soon as I get back."

2.- "You're probably too tired to play another game of racquetball, right?"

"I'm not that tired, really , I'd enjoy another game."

3.- "Will you support my proposal at the meeting?"

"Certainly. You can my support."

4.- I was talking to my aunt when suddenly my cousin George

our conversation.

5.- "I understand Diane lost her job."

"Yes, but she's actually . She found a more interesting job with a higher salary."