Worksheet 1

Key Word Transformations

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between three and six words, including the word given. Here is an example (0).
Example
It's true that the company might go into liquidation if it's not careful.
DANGER
It's true that the company might go into liquidation if it's not careful.

The moment I shouted he ran away
SOONER
No _____ he ran away.

I'm sure that it was the sound of the rain that disturbed me.
MUST
It _____ of the rain that disturbed me.

I managed to finish all the homework before the deadline.
SUCCEEDED
I _____ the homework before the deadline.

I took the only course open to me and changed my job.
DID
What I _____ , which was the only course open to me.

They don't allow people who arrive late at the opera house in until the interval.
ARE
People who arrive late at the opera house _____ until the interval.

My application for the job was turned down because I didn't have the right qualifications.
GROUNDS
My application for the job was turned down _____ didn't have the right qualifications.

It's impossible that you saw John last night - he's in the USA!
HAVE
John's in the USA, so _____ him last night.

I am confident that he will be successful in his career.
CHANCES
I am confident _____ in his career.

If you feel stressed, breathing slowly should calm you down.
MAKE
Breathing slowly _____ if you feel stressed.

I am really bad at remembering people's names when I meet them.
MEMORY
I _____people's names when I meet them.