Spotlight 9	Word Formation Task 9205

1.Read the text and fill in the gaps transforming the capitalized words.

Write in BLOCK CAPITALS without spaces between the words!!!
(ПЕЧАТНЫМИ ЗАГЛАВНЫМИ БУКВАМИ, ТОЛЬКО ПОЛНЫЕ ФОРМЫ!!!
без пробелов и знаков препинания!)

History of Skyscrapers	
Two **(1)** _____ in the middle of the 1800s made it possible to build modern skyscrapers. Before the **(2)**_____ Revolution brick and stone walls carried the **(3)**_____ of buildings. Because each floor was very heavy it was **(4)** _____ to build very high houses. In the middle of the 19th century steel became an important **(5)** _____ material. This metal was strong and light. Architects could now construct a steel skeleton to support very tall **(6)** _____.	**DISCOVER** **INDUSTRY** **WEIGH** **POSSIBLE** **BUILD** **BUILD**
Chicago's Home Insurance Company Building was ten-stories tall and the first skyscraper to use such a steel **(7)**_____.	**CONSTRUCT**
Skyscrapers would have been **(8)** _____ if people had to walk up and down many flights of stairs. In 1853 an **(9)**_____safe enough to carry passengers was invented by Elisha Graves Otis.	**USE** **ELEVATE**

2. Read the text and fill in the gaps with the proper grammatical form of the capitalized words.

History of Skyscrapers *(Continued)*		
During the early 20th century the construction of tall buildings **(1)** _____ very popular in big cities.	**BECOME**	**1**
Cities grew **(2)** _____ as **(3)** _____ people could live	**BIG / MANY**	**2**
and work there. Tall buildings **(4)** _____ also as a	**SEE**	**3**
symbol of power and greatness. Major cities, especially in		**4**
America, **(5)**_____ for the **(6)** _____ buildings in the	**FIGHT/TALL**	**5**
world. For four decades the Empire State Building in		**6**
NewYork was the world's **(7)** _____ structure. The 381-	**HIGH**	**7**
metre high landmark has 102 stories and **(8)**_____ in	**COMPLETE**	**8**
1932. The World Trade Centre, **(9)** _____ in 1973,	**FINISH**	**9**
became a symbol of the city's economic strength. The destruction of the World Trade Centre in the terrorist		
attacks of 2001 **(10)** _____ the heart of the city. Today	**HIT**	**10**
the world's tallest buildings no **(11)**_____ stand in	**LONG**	**11**
America. Other countries, mainly in the **(12)**_____	**GROW**	**12**
regions of Asia, have entered the prestigious race for the		
tallest structures in the world. Some experts say that		**13**
(13)_____ a 1000-metre high structure	**BUILD**	**14**
(14) _____ no problem with today's technology; others	**BE**	**15**
think that we need **(15)**_____ and **(16)**_____	**LIGHT/STRONG**	**16**
materials as well as **(17)** _____ elevators to make this possible.	**FAST**	**17**

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