VIEWPOINT 2 UNITS 9 / 10

GRAMMAR

➢ Exercise 1 Complete the sentences using inversions. Add the auxiliary.

1. Little _____ (we realize) what a social faux-pas we had committed.
3. Scarcely _____ (the match start) when the trouble began.
4. Only by standing on tip-toe _____ (I be able to) see anything at all.
5. Seldom _____ (you hear) such a perfect interpretation of this symphony.
6. Hardly _____ the orchestra _____(start) to play when people began to walk out.
7. Only if we leave now _____(we be) in time to catch the train.
8. Never before_____ (I see) so many people turn out for this event.
10. Only then _____ (it become) clear what the extent of the damage was.
12. No sooner _____ (we ask) for a quieter room, than we were given one.

➢ Exercise 2 Complete the speech with the words or phrases from the box.

assembles	complete the project on time	engineers	fall behind schedule	maneuvered

1. The company _____thousands of new parts and _____ them into luxurious and stylish vehicles.
2. Delhi police and other security services are working hard to _____and help maximize security for all the athletes and spectators.
3. Their ships were smaller and could be _____ more easily.
4. Some proceedings and a number of external factors had caused some of the ongoing projects _____.

➢ Exercise 3 Complete the news report using the verbs in parentheses in a continuous infinitive form.

1. No public structures are going to_____(provide) help for the victims of sectarian aberrations.
2. Insurance companies appear _____ (ignore) all attempts to reach an agreement on compensation.
3. New and effective treatments _____(develop) in clinical trials.
4. The network adapter driver might _____ (work) properly.

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Exercise 4 Type the correct answer into the box.

however	whatever	whatever	whenever	wherever	wherever	whichever whoever

1. Do _____ you want, just don't come to me if it all goes wrong!!
2. It's impossible to say what time Ramsey will arrive. He just turns up _____ he wants.
3. Sit down _____ you like.
4. You can invite _____ you like — it's your party!
5. _____ hard I try, I still can't find a job.
6. There are two dictionaries in the cupboard. Borrow _____ one you want.
7. I would love to be rich enough to buy _____ I wanted.
8. We had a great time in Botswana. The people were nice _____ we went.

Exercise 5 Complete the collocations with the words from the box.

rule out	announce	fuel	containing	compensate	escalated	plunged	undergo

1. _____ oil spill, would reduce considerable damage to wildlife and marine ecosystems in the Persian Gulf.
2. In addition, some people _____ surgery for cosmetic reasons.
3. The economic crisis will no doubt _____ speculation about the prime minister's future.
4. A program to _____ victims has been implemented by the government.
5. Tensions _____ further when government troops forcibly surrounded three KIA offices in mid-October.
6. The value of the national currency has _____.
7. Some delegations used the opportunity to_____ substantial increases in pledged support.
8. The government is unable to _____ the possibility that a similar disaster might happen again.

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