Twitter employees can work at home forever

Match words and definitions

1. boss	a.	A person who says important things for a company to the public, newspapers or television.
2. allowed	b.	A disease that is over a whole country or the world.
3. pandemic	c.	Let someone do something.
4. decision	d.	Happening slowly.
5. spokesperson	e.	The leader / top person of a company.
6. intentional	f.	A choice you make after thinking about what to do.
7. gradual	g.	Done on purpose; deliberate; not by accident.
8. position	h.	Say something in reply.
9. contact	i.	Showed that something is true.
10. platform	j.	Special importance on something.
11. respond	k.	Communicate with someone.
12. emphasis	l.	Makes possible.
13. proven	m.	Place.
14. enables	n.	A computer system that can run all kinds of software.

Match the sentences halves

1. they can work from home forever	a. by office
2. they will be	b. of the first
3. Opening offices will be our	c. so forever
4. it would not be one	d. each other
5. office	e. decision
6. Twitter said it was in	f. if they want to
7. employees and bosses can contact	g. anywhere
8. We were uniquely positioned	h. a good position
9. capable of working from	i. allowed to work from home
10. they want to continue to do	j. to respond quickly

Put the words into the spaces in the paragraphs below

offices
allowed
gradual
back
forever
added
started
pandemic

The boss of Twitter has told many of his employees that they can work from home (1) _____ if they want to. CEO Jack Dorsey told many workers on Tuesday that they will be (2) _____ to work from home even after the coronavirus (3) _____ ends. A Twitter spokesperson said: "Opening offices will be our decision. When and if our employees come (4) _____, will be their [decision]." Twitter was one of the first companies to allow workers to work from home after the COVID-19 pandemic (5) _____. The spokesperson said it would not be, "one of the first to return to (6) _____". Twitter said most of its offices would not open before September. It (7) _____ when they do open, it would be "careful, intentional, office by office and (8) _____ ".

bosses
few
emphasis
happen
position
role
platforms
anywhere

Twitter said it was in a good (9) _____ to have many of its workers working from their home. It is an online company so many employees and (10) _____ can contact each other on video conferencing (11) _____ like Zoom. The company said: "We were uniquely positioned to respond quickly and allow folks to work from home, given our (12) _____ on decentralization and supporting a distributed workforce capable of working from (13) _____." It added: "The past (14) _____ months have proven we can make [working from home] work. If our employees are in a (15) _____ and situation that enables them to work from home and they want to continue to do so forever, we will make that (16) _____."