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Part -

The Hindu Editorial: Finding funds (4 DEC 2023)

1. **Decade** (noun) – Period of ten year दशक
2. **Corpus** (noun) – the total amount of money in a fund, investment, or financial institution. संग्रह
3. **Replenish** (verb) – Refill, restore, renew, reload, restock, फिर से भरना
4. **Under way** (phrase) – In progress, ongoing, happening, occurring, afoot, चल रहा है
5. **Operationalise** (verb) – Implement, activate, execute, apply, put into action, क्रियान्वित करना
6. **Dearly** (adverb) – very much, greatly, affectionately, fondly, बहुमूल्यता से
7. **Thanks to** (phrase) – Due to, because of, owing to, as a result of, in view of, की वजह से
8. **Steadfast** (adjective) – Firm, unswerving, unwavering, loyal, dedicated, दृढ़निश्चयी
9. **Bloc** (noun) – Coalition, alliance, group, faction, league, गुट
10. **Disburse** (verb) – Pay out, expend, spend, distribute, allocate, वितरित करना
11. **Spill over** (phrasal verb) – (of a bad situation) reach a point at which it can no longer be controlled or contained. (एक बुरी स्थिति का) फैल जाना, पहुँचना
12. **Ad hoc** (noun) – Temporary, provisional, improvised, impromptu, makeshift, अस्थायी
13. **Highlight** (verb) – Emphasize, underscore, spotlight, accentuate, feature, प्रमुखता से दिखाना
14. **Signal** (verb) – Indicate, gesture, motion, beckon, signify, संकेत करना
15. **Optimism** (noun) – Hopefulness, positivity, sanguinity, buoyancy, confidence, आशावाद
16. **Diplomatic** (adjective) – Tactful, politic, sensitive, strategic, shrewd, कूटनीतिक
17. **Host** (verb) – Accommodate, entertain, hold, present, organize, मेजबानी करना
18. **Interim** (adjective) – Temporary, provisional, interim, transitional, acting, अंतरिम
19. **Oversee** (verb) – Supervise, manage, monitor, administer, oversee, देखरेख करना
20. **Overhead fee** (noun) – Administrative cost, operating expense, indirect charge, overhead, expense, परिचालन शुल्क
21. **Resist** (verb) – Oppose, withstand, counter, defy, fight against, विरोध करना
22. **Proposition** (noun) – Proposal, offer, suggestion, idea, plan, प्रस्ताव
23. **Yield** (verb) – Surrender, give in, capitulate, acquiesce, concede, समर्पण करना
24. **Concession** (noun) – Compromise, allowance, grant, adjustment, accommodation, रियायत

25. **Premature** (adjective) – Early, untimely, precocious, hasty, rash, असमय
26. **Deem** (verb) – Consider, regard, believe, judge, view, मानना
27. **Come against the backdrop of** (phrase) – Occur in the context of, arise against, develop in light of, emerge amidst, transpire following, के संदर्भ में होना
28. **Deadline** (noun) – Time limit, due date, cutoff, target date, end date, समय सीमा
29. **Mobilise** (verb) – Organize, rally, marshal, assemble, gather, जुटाना
30. **Manage to** (verb) – Succeed in, achieve, accomplish, pull off, bring off, सफल होना
31. **Meet** (verb) – Fulfill, satisfy, answer, comply with, accord with, पूरा करना
32. **Transparency** (noun) – Clarity, openness, lucidity, straightforwardness, candor, पारदर्शिता
33. **Brook** (verb) – Tolerate, endure, bear, stand, suffer, बर्दाश्त करना
34. **Stewardship** (noun) – Management, guardianship, administration, care, oversight, प्रबंधन
35. **Sans** (preposition) – Without, lacking, devoid of, minus, absent, बिना
36. **Pedantic** (adjective) – Scholarly, academic, bookish, precise, meticulous, पांडित्यपूर्ण
37. **Bureaucratic** (adjective) – Official, administrative, governmental, procedural, red-tape, नौकरशाही
38. **As things stand** (phrase) – Currently, as it is, in the current situation, presently, as of now, वर्तमान परिस्थिति में

The daily Pioneer: Hold back (5 DEC 2023)

1. **Hold back** (phrasal verb) – Restrain, suppress, inhibit, control, contain नियंत्रित करना
2. **Raging** (adjective) – Furious, intense, fierce, vehement, wild उग्र
3. **Overcome** (verb) – Conquer, surmount, prevail over, subdue, triumph over पर काबू पाना
4. **Anxiety** (noun) – Worry, nervousness, unease, apprehension, angst चिंता
5. **Lead** (to) (verb) – Cause, result in, bring about, produce, provoke वजह बनना
6. **Perhaps** (adverb) – Possibly, maybe, potentially, conceivably, perchance शायद
7. **Vulnerable** (adjective) – Exposed, susceptible, open to, at risk, defenseless संवेदनशील
8. **Adolescent** (noun) – Teenager, youth, young person, juvenile, minor किशोर
9. **Worldwide** (adjective) – Global, international, universal, planetary, allembicing विश्वव्यापी
10. **Diagnose** (with) (verb) – Identify, detect, determine, recognize, discover निदान करना
11. **Tend** (to) (verb) – Be inclined, be prone, be likely, be apt, have a tendency प्रवृत्त होना
12. **Yell** (verb) – Shout, scream, bellow, roar, howl चिल्लाना
13. **Scream** (verb) – Shriek, screech, yell, howl, shout चीखना
14. **Lie** (verb) – be, remain, or be kept in a specified state होना
15. **Fuel** (verb) – Feed, energize, power, stimulate, invigorate उत्तेजित करना
16. **Uphold** (verb) – Support, maintain, sustain, endorse, validate कायम रखना
17. **Vital** (adjective) – Essential, crucial, critical, indispensable, necessary आवश्यक
18. **In this regard** (phrase) – in connection with the point previously mentioned. इस विषय में
19. **Firmly** (adverb) – Securely, solidly, stably, strongly, steadfastly मजबूती से
20. **Establish** (verb) – Set up, found, create, institute, initiate स्थापित करना
21. **As a result** (phrase) – Consequently, therefore, hence, thus, accordingly परिणामस्वरूप
22. **Drift** (verb) – Wander, stray, veer, deviate, meander भटकना
23. **Play a role in** (phrase) – Contribute to, be a part of, be involved in, participate in, have a hand in भूमिका निभाना
24. **Often** (adverb) – Frequently, regularly, commonly, habitually, usually अक्सर
25. **Wire** (verb) – Connect, link, join, attach, fasten जोड़ना

26. **Empathetic** (adjective) – Understanding, compassionate, sympathetic, sensitive, considerate सहानुभूतिपूर्ण
27. **Rational** (adjective) – Logical, reasonable, sensible, coherent, sound तार्किक
28. **Daunting** (adjective) – Intimidating, challenging, formidable, frightening, disconcerting भयावह
29. **Productive** (adjective) – Fruitful, effective, efficient, prolific, constructive फलप्रद
30. **Dysregulated** (adjective) – Uncontrolled, disordered, chaotic, irregular, imbalanced अव्यवस्थित
31. **Overwhelm** (verb) – Overpower, overcome, subdue, engulf, swamp अभिभूत करना
32. **Outburst** (noun) – Eruption, explosion, flareup, outpouring, burst भड़क उठना

The daily Pioneer: No rationale for giving subsidies to Tesla (6 DEC 2023)

1. **Rationale** (noun) – Justification, Reason, Basis, Grounds, Explanation मूलाधार
2. **Concession** (noun) – Allowance, Compromise, Reduction, Rebate, Abatement रियायत
3. **Hamper** (verb) – Hinder, Impede, Obstruct, Inhibit, Restrict बाधित करना
4. **Duty** (noun) – Tax, cess, levy, charge कर
5. **Impose** (verb) – Enforce, Levy, Inflict, Exact, Implement लगाना
6. **Unfair** (adjective) – Inequitable, Unjust, Biased, Discriminatory, Partial अनुचित
7. **Remarkable** (adjective) – Extraordinary, Notable, Exceptional, Outstanding, Impressive उल्लेखनीय
8. **Decade** (noun) – Period of Ten years दशक
9. **Constitute** (verb) – Form, Compose, Make up, Represent, Embody बनाना
10. **Ply** (verb) – Operate, Run, Work, Function, Conduct चलाना
11. **Set up** (phrasal verb) – Establish, Found, Start, Initiate, Create स्थापित करना
12. **Provided** (conjunction) – If, Assuming, On condition that, Supposing बशर्ते
13. **Consideration** (noun) – Thought, Deliberation, Reflection, Examination, Contemplation विचार
14. **Keep in mind** (phrase) – Remember, Consider, Bear in mind, Heed, Take into account ध्यान में रखना
15. **Per se** (adverb) – Intrinsically, By itself, Essentially, Inherently, Naturally अपने आप में
16. **Spare part** (noun) – Replacement part, Substitute part, Component, Accessory, Fitting अतिरिक्त पुर्जा
17. **Established** (adjective) – Recognized, Accepted, Proven, Well-known, Respected स्थापित
18. **Given** (preposition) – Considering, Taking into account, In light of, With regard to, Given that दिए गए
19. **Exemption** (noun) – Immunity, Exclusion, Relief, Dispensation, Waiver छूट
20. **Queue** (noun) – Line, Row, Column, Series, Waiting list कतार में
21. **Downstream value chain** (noun) – Subsequent stages of production and distribution, Post-production phases, Value-adding stages, End stages of supply chain, Downstream operations

The Hindu Editorial: Honest reckoning (7 DEC 2023)

1. **Reckoning** (noun) - Calculation, estimation, computation, tally, assessment गणना
2. **Economies** (noun) – Countries in terms of GDP अर्थव्यवस्थाएँ
3. **Fossil fuel** (noun) - Non-renewable energy sources like coal, oil, and natural gas जीवाश्म ईंधन
4. **Wrangling** (noun) - Dispute, argument, disagreement, debate, quarrel विवाद
5. **Under way** (adjective) - In progress, ongoing, happening, in operation, underway चल रहा है
6. **Summit** (noun) - Conference, meeting, assembly, gathering, conclave शिखर सम्मेलन
7. **Cap** (verb) - Limit, restrict, confine, set a limit, put a ceiling on सीमा तय करना
8. **Pledge** (noun) - Promise, commitment, vow, oath, guarantee प्रतिज्ञा
9. **Limit** (verb) - Restrict, confine, cap, set limits to, bound सीमित करना
10. **Renewable energy** (noun) - Sustainable energy, green energy, alternative energy, clean energy, eco-friendly energy नवीकरणीय ऊर्जा
11. **Consensus** (noun) - Agreement, unanimity, accord, general agreement, concord सहमति
12. **Articulate** (verb) - Express, state, enunciate, voice, pronounce स्पष्ट रूप से व्यक्त करना
13. **In the run-up to** (phrase) - In the period before, leading up to, preceding, before, prior to उसके पहले
14. **Perceived** (adjective) - Recognized, understood, comprehended, grasped, discerned समझा गया
15. **Endorse** (verb) - Support, approve, back, sanction, ratify समर्थन करना
16. **Signatory** (noun) - Participant, signee, signer, subscriber, endorser हस्ताक्षरकर्ता
17. **Turn out** (phrasal verb) - Result, end up, emerge, prove to be, transpire निकलना
18. **So far** (phrasal verb) - Up to now, to date, until now, thus far, hitherto अब तक
19. **Abstain** (verb) - Refrain, desist, hold back, forgo, avoid परहेज करना
20. **In their pursuit of** (phrase) - in order to achieve (something) की चाह में
21. **Phase down** (phrasal verb) - Gradually reduce, decrease, scale down, diminish, lessen धीरे-धीरे कम करना
22. **Unabated** (adjective) - Continuous, unrelenting, persistent, ceaseless, unbroken निरंतर
23. **In particular** (phrase) - Specifically, especially, notably, particularly, expressly विशेष रूप से
24. **Champion** (noun) - Advocate, proponent, supporter, promoter, defender समर्थक
25. **Reiterate** (verb) - Repeat, restate, reemphasize, reassert, reaffirm दोहराना

26. **Give up** (phrasal verb) - Quit, abandon, relinquish, forgo, surrender त्यागना
27. **Eschew** (verb) - Avoid, abstain from, steer clear of, shun, forgo त्यागना
28. **Paradox** (noun) - Contradiction, anomaly, inconsistency, conundrum, enigma विरोधाभास
29. **Gear** (to) (verb) - prepare, adjust, or equip for a particular purpose or need. तैयार होना
30. **Draft** (verb) - Prepare, sketch, outline, formulate, compose तैयार करना

The Hindu Editorial: Power to the people (8 DEC 2023)

1. **Rewarding** (adjective) – Beneficial, fruitful, satisfying, profitable, worthwhile, लाभदायक
2. **Demonstrate** (verb) – Show, illustrate, exhibit, display, prove, प्रदर्शित करना
3. **Traverse** (verb) – Cross, navigate, travel across, span, pass over, पार करना
4. **Restrain** (verb) – Control, limit, restrict, hold back, confine, नियंत्रित करना
5. **Ideological** (adjective) – Relating to a system of ideas, especially in politics or religion, विचारधारात्मक
6. **Harness** (noun) – Gear, tackle, equipment, rig, apparatus, साज़-सामान
7. **Fire up** (phrasal verb) – Energize, excite, stimulate, animate, invigorate, प्रेरित करना
8. **Ambition** (noun) – Aspiration, goal, aim, desire, drive, महत्वाकांक्षा
9. **Endow** (verb) – Equip, provide, furnish, grant, bestow, प्रदान करना
10. **Turn out to be** (phrase) – Prove to be, end up being, emerge as, result in, निकलना
11. **Perhaps** (adverb) – Possibly, maybe, potentially, it could be, शायद
12. **Pose** (verb) – Present, create, cause, produce, constitute, पेश करना
13. **Land up** (phrasal verb) – Arrive, end up, find oneself, wind up, अंततः पहुंचना
14. **Bribe** (noun) – Payoff, inducement, kickback, graft, sweetener, रिश्वत
15. **Relentless** (adjective) – Unyielding, persistent, continuous, incessant, non-stop, लगातार
16. **Endear** (verb) – Make beloved, charm, win over, captivate, attract, प्रिय बनाना
17. **Camp** (noun) – Group, faction, contingent, sect, team, खेमा
18. **Rapport** (noun) – Bond, connection, relationship, understanding, affinity, संबंध
19. **Galvanise** (verb) – Inspire, stimulate, motivate, energize, stir up, प्रेरित करना
20. **Fall in line** (phrase) – Conform, comply, follow, agree, align, अनुपालन करना
21. **Motif** (noun) – Theme, element, concept, subject, motif, थीम
22. **Indeed** (adverb) – Truly, really, certainly, actually, in fact, वास्तव में
23. **Coalition** (noun) – Alliance, partnership, union, collaboration, bloc, गठबंधन
24. **Justifiably** (adverb) – Rightly, appropriately, deservedly, suitably, न्यायसंगत रूप से
25. **Aggrieved** (adjective) – Distressed, upset, wronged, afflicted, offended, पीड़ित
26. **Entrant** (noun) – Newcomer, participant, candidate, applicant, newcomer, नया सदस्य
27. **Mobilisation** (noun) – Activation, rally, marshalling, organization, assembly, जुटाव/जमावड़ा

28. **Accommodate** (verb) – Fit, adapt, house, suit, adjust, समायोजित करना
29. **Plank** (noun) – Policy, principle, platform, tenet, doctrine, सिद्धांत
30. **Masses** (noun) – People, populace, public, crowd, multitude, जनता
31. **Embellish** (verb) – Enlarge, increase, exaggerate, overdo, बेहतर बनाना
32. **Array** (noun) – Collection, range, assortment, series, variety, संग्रह
33. **Ripple effect** (noun) – the effect or influence of a situation, action, event, etc. that does not stop but is experienced on a series of things one after the other (घटना, कार्य आदि का) शृंखलाबद्ध प्रभाव या परिणाम

The Hindu Editorial: No fait accompli (9 DEC 2023)

1. **Fait accompli** (noun) – An accomplished fact, something that has already occurred and is thus unlikely to be reversed. जो पहले ही घटित हो चुका है तथा उसे बदला नहीं जा सकता
2. **Propose** (verb) – Suggest, recommend, put forward, advocate, present. प्रस्तावित करना
3. **Restoration** (noun) – Renewal, revival, reinstatement, reestablishment, reconstruction. पुनर्स्थापन
4. **Statehood** (noun) – The status of being a recognized independent nation or state. राज्य का दर्जा
5. **Collapse** (verb) – Fall apart, disintegrate, break down, fail, crumble. पतन होना
6. **Impose** (verb) – Enforce, levy, inflict, exact, demand. थोपना
7. **Amidst** (preposition) – Among, in the middle of, surrounded by, in the midst of, amid. बीच में
8. **Suspension** (noun) – Interruption, halt, stoppage, discontinuation, deferment. स्थगन
9. **Herald** (verb) – to be a sign that something is going to happen soon सूचना देना
10. **Erstwhile** (adjective) – Former, previous, old, past, bygone. पूर्व
11. **Bifurcate** (verb) – Split, divide, separate, branch off, diverge. दो भागों में बँटना
12. **Encompass** (verb) – Include, cover, embrace, incorporate, encircle. शामिल करना
13. **Hive off** (phrasal verb) – Separate out, detach, split off, segregate, partition. अलग करना
14. **Verdict** (noun) – Judgment, decision, ruling, pronouncement, conclusion. फैसला
15. **Deter** (verb) – Discourage, dissuade, prevent, inhibit, restrain. रोकना
16. **Bring about** (phrasal verb) – cause something to happen उत्पन्न करना
17. **Make-up** (noun) – Composition, structure, constitution, arrangement, configuration. संरचना
18. **Prospective** (adjective) – Potential, future, forthcoming, expected, impending. संभावित
19. **Delimitation** (noun) – the action of fixing the boundary or limits of something. सीमांकन
20. **Empower** (verb) – Authorize, enable, permit, allow, license. अधिकृत करना
21. **Seek** (verb) – try, attempt, endeavour, strive प्रयास करना
22. **Underprivileged** (adjective) – Disadvantaged, deprived, needy, poor, impoverished. वंचित
23. **Enact** (verb) – Pass, adopt, approve, ratify, establish पारित करना
24. **Propriety** (noun) – Correctness, appropriateness, decorum, decency, suitability. उचितता
25. **Legality** (noun) – Lawfulness, legitimacy, validity, licitness, legal status. कानूनी वैधता
26. **Abrogation** (noun) – Repeal, revocation, cancellation, annulment, nullification. उन्मूलन

27. **Bifurcation** (noun) – Division, split, separation, dichotomy, branching. द्विभाजन
28. **Arbitrary** (adjective) – Random, capricious, whimsical, erratic, subjective. मनमाना
29. **Detention** (noun) – Custody, confinement, imprisonment, incarceration, holding. हिरासत
30. **Shutdown** (noun) – Closure, stoppage, cessation, discontinuance, termination. बंद
31. **A chilling effect** (noun) – Discouraging consequence, deterrent impact, inhibiting effect, intimidating influence, suppressive result. निरुत्साहित करने वाला प्रभाव
32. **Cite** (verb) – Reference, mention, quote, allude to, refer to. हवाला देना
33. **Separatism** (noun) – Division, disunion, secession, detachment, segregation. अलगाववाद
34. **Alienated** (adjective) – Estranged, isolated, detached, distanced, disconnected. पराया/अलग
35. **Glaring** (adjective) – Obvious, flagrant, blatant, conspicuous, stark. स्पष्ट
36. **Void** (noun) – Emptiness, vacancy, gap, lacuna, absence. खालीपन
37. **Set the stage for** (phrase) – Prepare the ground for, lay the foundations for, make preparations for, pave the way for, lead up to. की स्थिति पैदा करना
38. **Address** (verb) – Deal with, attend to, tackle, handle, confront. निपटाना,
39. **Lead** (to) (verb) – Result in, cause, bring about, contribute to, give rise to. वजह बनना
40. **Persistence** (noun) – Continuation, endurance, constancy, perpetuation, durability. दृढ़ता
41. **Militancy** (noun) – Aggressiveness, combativeness, belligerence, activism, assertiveness. आतंकवाद