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1. **Choose the best substitute for the phrase or sentence in bold:**

When our advertising agency lost a big client, my boss tried to **pin it on me**.
A) blame me **B)** comfort me **C)** fire me

2. Your mailbox was stolen last night? **How could someone stoop so low?**
A) How could somebody reach it?
B) Who would do something like that?
C) How come you didn't see who it was?

3. I told the reporter to stop trying to **pump me for information**.
A) write a story about me
B) give me information
C) get information out of me

4. Ed is **boning up on** biology in preparation for his final exam.
A) experimenting with **B)** reviewing
C) forgetting

5. My supervisor and I **aren't on the same wavelength**.
A) generally agree on things
B) usually don't agree on things
C) listen to the same radio station

6. When Liz added up all the money she spent in one month on coffee drinks, **it was an eye-opener.**
A) it helped her stay awake
B) she learned something useful
C) it was a useless exercise

7. Do you think the company will **come clean on** their bad business deals?
A) clean up **B)** hide
C) be honest about

8. Larry just came in my office and started yelling at me. **He must've woken up on the wrong side of the bed.**
A) He's in a bad mood today.
B) He's in a great mood today.
C) He's tired today.

9. Our upcoming merger with Magna Corporation is still considered **inside information**.
A) news not to be shared with outsiders
B) general knowledge
C) information employees should share with friends

10. Stan **ticked off** the boss by questioning his strategy in front of everybody at the meeting.
A) pleased **B)** challenged **C)** annoyed

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