Lesson 6 / Handout 6 - KEY

Gethin 11E – Duty and arrangement, with non-fulfilment

Match the headings to the sentences below:

DUTY7 DUTY (negative)5 ADVISABILITY2 DUTY with reproach 6 ARRANGEMENT 4
NON-FULFILMENT of DUTY 8 NON-FULFILMENT of DUTY with reproach 1
NON-FULFILMENT of ARRANGEMENT 3

- 1. They could/might have apologised for not turning up yesterday! We haven't heard a word from them so far. = non-fulfilment of duty with reproach
- 2. I think you should / ought to check to see if they are coming! = advisability
- 3. Sir James was to have retired, but a majority on the board has persuaded him to stay on. = non-fulfilment of arrangement
- 4. He is to pick me up in his car. = $\frac{1}{2}$
- 5. People shouldn't / oughtn't to behave like this. = duty (negative)
- 6. I really think people could / might be more careful where they throw their litter! = duty with reproach
- 7. Parents should / ought to look after their children. = duty
- 8. In my opinion, he should / ought to have made way for a younger man. = non-fulfilment of duty

References:

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