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Qno2

TOPIC: Theatrics over Leadership: The art of political performance

Politicians are expert at avoiding direct answers by using complicated words to sound smart. They make big promises before elections, but these are often forgotten once they win. Their actions are like a performance, using emotional speeches and photo opportunities with babies and pets to gain public support. They adapt quickly to change, abandoning their beliefs and themselves and staying in power. Politics often feel more like a staged show than a true leadership, with more emphasis on appearances than genuine care for the public.

Total words: 298

Precis word: 98

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(i)

Renewable energy production like solar and wind, has a significant environmental impact due to resource-

intense manufacturing, requiring rare earth materials and generating greenhouse gas emissions, while cleaner than fossil fuels during operations its production still disrupts ecosystems and deplete resource.

(ii)

EVs are not fully environmentally friendly. The production of their batteries involves harmful mining practices and environmental degradation.

Additionally, if charged with fossil fuel-powered electricity, their benefits diminish. Battery disposal also poses environmental challenges

(iii)

The disposal of renewable energy systems, such as solar panels and wind turbines, presents a significant challenge after their typical 20-30 years lifespan. The disposal of solar panels and wind turbines after their lifespan is problematic due to limited recycling infrastructure, often resulting

in toxic waste accumulation.

(iv)

Renewable energy systems are not pollution-free because their intermittent nature requires fossil fuel backup or battery ~~charge~~ storage, which involves environmentally damaging material like lithium and cobalt.

(v)

The article suggests improving energy efficiency, reducing consumption, and diversifying the energy mix to address renewable energy's limitations and avoid complacency.

Qno 4

- i) I will have completed this project by this time tomorrow
- ii) If I knew the answer, I would pass the examination.
- iii) They cheated me. I wish I knew them.

iv) Looking through the viewfinder,
I saw some strangers standing
at the door.

v) All kinds of stationary are sold
here

Qno5

(B)

i. She came into the wealth on her
father's death

ii. I am broke with him because
he is a selfish friend.

iii. He has got through all his hardships
in his life.

iv. Every candidate tries to pull in each
voter.

v. The poor live on their wages.

Qno7

i. Black and blues

After the fight, he was left black

and blue all over his body, with
bruises on his arms and face.

silver surfer

My grandmother is a silver surfer,
she spends hours on her tablet
browsing the internet and reading
articles