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Level 3

Google refuses to remove 'gay music' video

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THE ARTICLE

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Google Kenya has said it would not remove a music video from its YouTube site. The Kenyan government asked Google to take the video offline because it showed gay couples, gay pride marchers, and images of openly gay Kenyan public figures. The video also shows different scenes of what it is like to be gay in Kenya. It was made by a band called Art Attack. It is a remake of the song 'Same Love' by Macklemore and Ryan Lewis. Kenya's government said the video was bad for society. It said it would punish anyone it caught who distributed the video. Kenya's government says homosexuality is an "unnatural offence". Kenyan homosexuals can be put in prison for up to 14 years.

Kenya's attempts at trying to ban the video have made it very popular around the world. It has now been viewed over 140,000 times. The video shows images of anti-gay protests in Nairobi last year, and two young women kissing on a bench in a forest. Kenyan regulators first tried to ban the video in late February. A government spokesman said: "We have written to Google to remove the video from their platforms. We expect they will do it within one week from now." Google replied: "We review government removal requests when notified through the correct legal processes and in keeping with our company philosophy on transparency and freedom of expression."

Sources: <http://qz.com/638461/google-has-refused-government-demands-to-take-down-a-gay-music-video-in-kenya/>
<https://www.gaytimes.co.uk/news/29796/google-ignores-kenyas-request-to-ban-a-gay-rights-rap-video/>
<http://venturesafrica.com/gay-music-video-causes-controversy-in-kenya/>

WARM-UPS

1. GAY RIGHTS: Students walk around the class and talk to other students about gay rights. Change partners often and share your findings.

2. CHAT: In pairs / groups, talk about these topics or words from the article. What will the article say about them? What can you say about these words and your life?

Google / music video / government / gay couples / song / band / bad for society / attempts / popular / viewed / protests / spokesman / platforms / requests / freedom

Have a chat about the topics you liked. Change topics and partners frequently.

3. RIGHTS: How can people get more equality? Complete this table with your partner(s). Change partners often and share what you wrote.

	Issues	Solutions
Gay rights		
Human rights		
Women's rights		
Workers' rights		
Refugee rights		
Children's rights		

4. VIDEOS: Students A **strongly** believe it is OK to put any video on YouTube; Students B **strongly** believe it isn't. Change partners again and talk about your conversations.

5. YOUTUBE: Rank these with your partner. Put the best videos at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- music videos
- English grammar videos
- sports videos
- vlogs
- how-to videos
- pet videos
- news videos
- funny videos

6. GAY: Spend one minute writing down all of the different words you associate with the word "gay". Share your words with your partner(s) and talk about them. Together, put the words into different categories.

BEFORE READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

1. TRUE / FALSE: Read the headline. Guess if a-h below are true (T) or false (F).

- | | |
|---|-------|
| a. Kenya's government asked Google to remove a YouTube video. | T / F |
| b. The video did not show any scenes of gay couples. | T / F |
| c. The video contained an original song called 'Same Love'. | T / F |
| d. Homosexuals in Kenya can get up to 14 years in prison. | T / F |
| e. The video has now been viewed over one million times. | T / F |
| f. Kenya's government first tried to ban the video last year. | T / F |
| g. Kenya's government expects the video to be gone within a week. | T / F |
| h. Google said it must act in keeping with freedom of expression. | T / F |

2. SYNONYM MATCH: Match the following synonyms from the article.

- | | |
|----------------|---------------|
| 1. remove | a. gave out |
| 2. gay | b. looked at |
| 3. band | c. jail |
| 4. distributed | d. believe |
| 5. prison | e. group |
| 6. attempts | f. take away |
| 7. viewed | g. inside |
| 8. expect | h. homosexual |
| 9. within | i. beliefs |
| 10. philosophy | j. efforts |

3. PHRASE MATCH: (Sometimes more than one choice is possible.)

- | | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1. it would not remove a | a. one week |
| 2. gay | b. prison |
| 3. scenes of what it is like to | c. gay protests |
| 4. it would punish anyone it caught who | d. couples |
| 5. be put in | e. 140,000 times |
| 6. very popular | f. be gay in Kenya |
| 7. viewed over | g. music video |
| 8. anti- | h. expression |
| 9. We expect they will do it within | i. around the world |
| 10. freedom of | j. distributed the video |

GAP FILL

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Google Kenya has said it would not (1) _____ a music video from its YouTube site. The Kenyan government asked Google to take the video (2) _____ because it showed gay couples, gay pride marchers, and images of (3) _____ gay Kenyan public figures. The video also shows different (4) _____ of what it is like to be gay in Kenya. It was made by a band called Art Attack. It is a (5) _____ of the song 'Same Love' by Macklemore and Ryan Lewis. Kenya's government said the video was bad for (6) _____. It said it would punish anyone it caught who (7) _____ the video. Kenya's government says homosexuality is an "unnatural offence". Kenyan homosexuals can be put in (8) _____ for up to 14 years.

openly
remake
offline
distributed
remove
prison
scenes
society

Kenya's attempts at trying to (9) _____ the video have made it very popular around the world. It has now been viewed over 140,000 times. The video shows (10) _____ of anti-gay protests in Nairobi last year, and two young women kissing on a bench in a forest. Kenyan regulators first tried to ban the video in (11) _____ February. A government spokesman said: "We have written to Google to remove the video from their (12) _____. We (13) _____ they will do it within one week from now." Google (14) _____: "We review government removal requests when notified through the correct (15) _____ processes and in keeping with our company philosophy on transparency and freedom of (16) _____."

images
expect
legal
late
ban
expression
platforms
replied

LISTENING – Guess the answers. Listen to check.

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

- 1) it showed gay couples, gay pride marchers, and images of openly gay _____
 - a. Kenyan public figures
 - b. Kenyan public figurines
 - c. Kenyan public figure
 - d. Kenyan public figured
- 2) The video also shows different scenes of what it is _____ in Kenya
 - a. liked to be gay
 - b. like to be gay
 - c. likes to be gay
 - d. likely to be gay
- 3) Kenya's government said the video was _____
 - a. bald for society
 - b. badly for society
 - c. bland for society
 - d. bad for society
- 4) It said it would punish anyone it caught who _____
 - a. distribute the video
 - b. distribute it the video
 - c. distributed the video
 - d. distributes the video
- 5) Kenyan homosexuals can be put in prison for _____
 - a. up too 14 years
 - b. up two 14 years
 - c. up through 14 years
 - d. up to 14 years
- 6) Kenya's attempts at trying to ban the video have made it very popular _____
 - a. around our world
 - b. around the world
 - c. around a world
 - d. around this world
- 7) The video shows images of anti-gay _____
 - a. protestors in Nairobi
 - b. protests in Nairobi
 - c. protest is in Nairobi
 - d. protest its in Nairobi
- 8) Kenyan regulators first tried to ban the video _____
 - a. in late February
 - b. in later February
 - c. in belated February
 - d. in too late February
- 9) We expect they will do it within one _____
 - a. week from know
 - b. week from now
 - c. week from noon
 - d. week from known
- 10) in keeping with our company philosophy on transparency _____ expression
 - a. end freedom of
 - b. armed freedom of
 - c. an freedom of
 - d. and freedom of

LISTENING – Listen and fill in the gaps

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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

1. Which government asked Google to remove a video?

2. What kind of marches did the video show images of?

3. What is the name of the group who sang the song?

4. What did the government say the video was bad for?

5. For how long could a Kenyan homosexual be put in prison?

6. How many times has the video been viewed?

7. Where are two women kissing?

8. How long did the government give Google to remove the video?

9. What kind of legal processes does Google work with?

10. What kind of freedom did Google say was important?

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

1. Which government asked Google to remove a video?
 - a) Finland's
 - b) Kenya's
 - c) Australia's
 - d) Peru's
2. What kind of marches did the video show images of?
 - a) happy ones
 - b) big band
 - c) gay pride
 - d) Independence Day
3. What is the name of the group who sang the song?
 - a) Attack Art
 - b) Attack Heart
 - c) Heart Attack
 - d) Art Attack
4. What did the government say the video was bad for?
 - a) YouTube
 - b) society
 - c) the heart
 - d) homosexuals
5. For how long could a Kenyan homosexual be put in prison?
 - a) 14 years
 - b) 13 years
 - c) 12 years
 - d) 15 years
6. How many times has the video been viewed?
 - a) 140,000 times
 - b) 140 million times
 - c) 14 million times
 - d) 1,400,000 times
7. Where are two women kissing?
 - a) in a shopping mall
 - b) on a beach
 - c) in a park
 - d) in a forest
8. How long did the government give Google to remove the video?
 - a) three weeks
 - b) 10 days
 - c) a week
 - d) a month
9. What kind of legal processes does Google work with?
 - a) technical ones
 - b) long ones
 - c) difficult ones
 - d) correct ones
10. What kind of freedom did Google say was important?
 - a) freedom of thought
 - b) freedom of expression
 - c) freedom of movement
 - d) freedom of labour

ROLE PLAY

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Role A – Music videos

You think music videos are the best. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them things that are wrong with their videos. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): English grammar videos, pet videos or vlogs.

Role B – English grammar videos

You think English grammar videos are the best. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them things that are wrong with their videos. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): music videos, pet videos or vlogs.

Role C – Pet videos

You think pet videos are the best. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them things that are wrong with their videos. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): English grammar videos, music videos or vlogs.

Role D – Vlogs

You think vlogs are the best videos. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them things that are wrong with their videos. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): English grammar videos, pet videos or music videos.

AFTER READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

1. WORD SEARCH: Look in your dictionary / computer to find collocates, other meanings, information, synonyms ... for the words 'gay' and 'rights'.

gay	rights
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- Share your findings with your partners.
- Make questions using the words you found.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

2. ARTICLE QUESTIONS: Look back at the article and write down some questions you would like to ask the class about the text.

- Share your questions with other classmates / groups.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

3. GAP FILL: In pairs / groups, compare your answers to this exercise. Check your answers. Talk about the words from the activity. Were they new, interesting, worth learning...?

4. VOCABULARY: Circle any words you do not understand. In groups, pool unknown words and use dictionaries to find their meanings.

5. TEST EACH OTHER: Look at the words below. With your partner, try to recall how they were used in the text:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• site• openly• scenes• band• bad• 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• popular• young• platforms• week• legal• freedom
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GAY RIGHTS SURVEY

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Write five GOOD questions about gay rights in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

GAY RIGHTS DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

- 1) What did you think when you read the headline?
- 2) What springs to mind when you hear the word 'gay'?
- 3) What do you think about what you read?
- 4) What do you think about YouTube?
- 5) Why does the Kenyan government want the video removed?
- 6) What do you think of the video?
- 7) How is life for homosexuals in your country?
- 8) Why do people dislike homosexuals?
- 9) What needs to happen for homosexual people to achieve equality?
- 10) What laws in your country discriminate against homosexuals?

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GAY RIGHTS DISCUSSION

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

- 11) Did you like reading this article? Why/not?
- 12) What has the video done for gay rights in Kenya?
- 13) Have you ever joined a gay pride march?
- 14) What will trying to ban the video do for Kenya's image?
- 15) What do you think is the number one issue for gay rights groups?
- 16) What does the leader of your country say about gay rights?
- 17) Why do you think some people are afraid of gay people?
- 18) What will gay rights be like in 50 years from now?
- 19) What should Google do about the video?
- 20) What questions would you like to ask the band Art Attack?

DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

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DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

LANGUAGE - CLOZE

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Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

- | | | | | |
|-----|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1. | (a) removal | (b) removes | (c) remove | (d) removing |
| 2. | (a) offline | (b) inline | (c) online | (d) lined |
| 3. | (a) opening | (b) openly | (c) opens | (d) opines |
| 4. | (a) likes | (b) liking | (c) likelihood | (d) like |
| 5. | (a) harsh | (b) severe | (c) punish | (d) capital |
| 6. | (a) down | (b) up | (c) over | (d) along |
| 7. | (a) popular | (b) popularity | (c) populate | (d) popularise |
| 8. | (a) demonstration | (b) march | (c) protestants | (d) protests |
| 9. | (a) last | (b) least | (c) late | (d) lately |
| 10. | (a) with | (b) without | (c) wither | (d) within |
| 11. | (a) notifies | (b) notified | (c) notification | (d) notifications |
| 12. | (a) expression | (b) expressed | (c) expressive | (d) express |

SPELLING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Paragraph 1

1. take the video elnofif
2. openly gay Kenyan public ugesrfi
3. The video also shows different nesesc
4. bad for syitcoe
5. it would pnushi anyone it caught
6. be put in rnpois for up to 14 years

Paragraph 2

7. Kenya's astetptm at trying to ban the video
8. very uaplorp around the world
9. wevdei over 140,000 times
10. remove the video from their rsompalft
11. removal tuseqesr
12. freedom of exoprniess

PUT THE TEXT BACK TOGETHER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Number these lines in the correct order.

- () homosexuality is an "unnatural offence". Kenyan homosexuals can be put in prison for up to 14 years.
- () requests when notified through the correct legal processes and in keeping
- () punish anyone it caught who distributed the video. Kenya's government says
- () Kenya's attempts at trying to ban the video have made it very popular around the world. It has now been
- () February. A government spokesman said: "We have written to Google to remove the video from their
- () gay Kenyan public figures. The video also shows different scenes of what it is like to be gay
- () with our company philosophy on transparency and freedom of expression."
- (**1**) Google Kenya has said it would not remove a music video from its YouTube site. The Kenyan government asked
- () platforms. We expect they will do it within one week from now." Google replied: "We review government removal
- () in Kenya. It was made by a band called Art Attack. It is a remake of the song 'Same Love'
- () kissing on a bench in a forest. Kenyan regulators first tried to ban the video in late
- () viewed over 140,000 times. The video shows images of anti-gay protests in Nairobi last year, and two young women
- () by Macklemore and Ryan Lewis. Kenya's government said the video was bad for society. It said it would
- () Google to take the video offline because it showed gay couples, gay pride marchers, and images of openly

PUT THE WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

1. offline government to video The Google the asked take .

2. shows also video The like is it what of scenes different .

3. said was society government video for Kenya's the bad .

4. anyone the it video caught who Punish distributed .

5. put be can homosexuals Kenyan prison in .

6. at the attempts ban Kenya's to trying video .

7. times It been now has 140,000 viewed over .

8. shows video The Nairobi in protests anti-gay of images .

9. have Google the We to remove written to video .

10. they expect We now from week one within it do will .

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD (20 PAIRS)

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1603/160317-gay-music-video.html>

Google Kenya has said it would not *removal / remove* a music video from its YouTube site. The Kenyan government asked Google to take the video *offline / online* because it showed *gay couple / couples*, gay pride marchers, and images of *openly / open* gay Kenyan public figures. The video also shows *different / difference* scenes of what it is *like / likely* to be gay in Kenya. It was made by a band called Art Attack. It is a remake of the song 'Same Love' by Macklemore and Ryan Lewis. Kenya's government said the video was *badly / bad* for society. It said it would punish anyone it *catch / caught* who distributed the video. Kenya's government says homosexuality is an "unnatural offence". Kenyan homosexuals can be *put / take* in prison for *up / high* to 14 years.

Kenya's attempts at *trying / trial* to ban the video have made it very *popularity / popular* around the world. It has now been *viewed / views* over 140,000 times. The video shows *images / imagines* of anti-gay protests in Nairobi last year, and two young women kissing on a bench *on / in* a forest. Kenyan regulators first tried to ban the video in *lately / late* February. A government spokesman said: "We have written to Google to remove the video from their *stages / platforms*. We expect they will do it *within / wither* one week from now." Google replied: "We review government removal requests when *notify / notified* through the correct legal processes and in keeping with our company philosophy *on / in* transparency and freedom of expression."

Talk about the connection between each pair of words in italics, and why the correct word is correct.

INSERT THE VOWELS (a, e, i, o, u)

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G__gl_ K_ny_ h_s s__d _t w__ld n_t r_m_v_ _ m_s_c
v_d__ fr_m _ts Y__T_b_ s_t_. Th_ K_ny_n g_v_rnm_nt
_sk_d G__gl_ t_ t_k_ th_ v_d__ _ffl_n_ b_c__s_ _t
sh_w_d g_y c__pl_s, g_y pr_d_ m_rch_rs, _nd _m_g_s
_f _p_nly g_y K_ny_n p_bl_c f_g_r_s. Th_ v_d__ _ls_
sh_ws d_ff_r_nt sc_n_s _f wh_t _t_s l_k_ t_b_g_y_n
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Ry_n L_w_s. K_ny_'s g_v_rnm_nt s__d th_ v_d__ w_s
b_d f_r s_c__ty. _t s__d _t w__ld p_n_sh _ny_n_ _t
c__ght wh_ _d_str_b_t_d th_ v_d__. K_ny_'s
g_v_rnm_nt s_ys h_m_s_x__l_ty _s _n "_nn_t_r_l
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f_r _p_t_ 14 y__rs.

K_ny_'s _tt_mpts _t try_ng t_b_n th_ v_d__ h_v_
m_d_ _t v_ry p_p_l_r _r__nd th_ w_rld. _t h_s n_w
b__n v__w_d _v_r 140,000 t_m_s. Th_ v_d__ sh_ws
_m_g_s _f _nt_-g_y pr_t_sts _n N__r_b_l_st y__r, _nd
tw_ y__ng w_m_n k_ss_ng _n _ b_nch _n _f_r_st.
K_ny_n r_g_l_t_rs f_rst tr__d t_b_n th_ v_d__ _n l_t_
F_br__ry. _ g_v_rnm_nt sp_k_sm_n s__d: "W_ h_v_
wr_tt_n t_ G__gl_ t_r_m_v_ th_ v_d__ fr_m th__r
pl_tf_rms. W_ _xp_ct th_y w_ll d_ _t w_th_n _n_w_k
fr_m n_w." G__gl_ r_pl__d: "W_ r_v__w g_v_rnm_nt
r_m_v_l_r_q__sts wh_n n_t_f__d thr__gh th_ c_rr_ct
l_g_l pr_c_ss_s _nd _n k__p_ng w_th __r c_m_p_ny
ph_l_s_phy _n tr_nsp_rncy _nd fr__d_m _f
_xpr_ss__n."

PUNCTUATE THE TEXT AND ADD CAPITALS

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google kenya has said it would not remove a music video from its youtube site the kenyan government asked google to take the video offline because it showed gay couples gay pride marchers and images of openly gay kenyan public figures the video also shows different scenes of what it is like to be gay in kenya it was made by a band called art attack it is a remake of the song 'same love' by macklemore and ryan lewis kenya's government said the video was bad for society it said it would punish anyone it caught who distributed the video kenya's government says homosexuality is an "unnatural offence" kenyan homosexuals can be put in prison for up to 14 years

kenya's attempts at trying to ban the video have made it very popular around the world it has now been viewed over 140000 times the video shows images of anti-gay protests in nairobi last year and two young women kissing on a bench in a forest kenyan regulators first tried to ban the video in late february a government spokesman said "we have written to google to remove the video from their platforms we expect they will do it within one week from now" google replied "we review government removal requests when notified through the correct legal processes and in keeping with our company philosophy on transparency and freedom of expression"

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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HOMework

1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION: Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

2. INTERNET: Search the Internet and find out more about gay rights. Share what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.

3. GAY RIGHTS: Make a poster about gay rights. Show your work to your classmates in the next lesson. Did you all have similar things?

4. YOUTUBE VIDEO: Write a magazine article about YouTube videos. Include imaginary interviews with people who think any video is OK on YouTube and with people who think that isn't OK.

Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Write down any new words and expressions you hear from your partner(s).

5. WHAT HAPPENED NEXT? Write a newspaper article about the next stage in this news story. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.

6. LETTER: Write a letter to an expert on gay rights. Ask him/her three questions about gay rights. Give him/her three of your ideas on how to make more progress with gay rights. Read your letter to your partner(s) in your next lesson. Your partner(s) will answer your questions.

ANSWERS

TRUE / FALSE (p.4)

a T b F c F d T e F f F g T h T

SYNONYM MATCH (p.4)

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| 1. remove | a. take away |
| 2. gay | b. homosexual |
| 3. band | c. group |
| 4. distributed | d. gave out |
| 5. prison | e. jail |
| 6. attempts | f. efforts |
| 7. viewed | g. looked at |
| 8. expect | h. believe |
| 9. within | i. inside |
| 10. philosophy | j. beliefs |

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (p.8)

1. Kenya's government
2. Gay pride marches
3. Art Attack
4. Society
5. Up to 14 years
6. Over 140,000 times
7. On a bench in a forest
8. A week
9. Correct ones
10. Freedom of expression

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ (p.9)

1. b 2. c 3. d 4. b 5. a 6. a 7. d 8. c 9. d 10. b

ALL OTHER EXERCISES

Please check for yourself by looking at the Article on page 2.
(It's good for your English ;-)