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【考題】

- Starting next December, the Glendale Galleria, a large indoor mall with more than 260 stores and restaurants on three levels\_\_at 9:00 a.m. instead of 10:00 a.m.  
(A) open (B) opened (C) will open (D) has opened
- Some trees lose their leaves \_\_the autumn.  
(A) at (B) on (C) in (D) with
- At the fifth International Exposition, there was a large collection of various\_\_ that attracted the people' s attention.  
(A) machineries (B) machine (C) mechanical (D) machines
- Joselyn has been working hard these past few years hoping that she will be promoted to an\_\_ position within the company.  
(A) executive (B) execute (C) execution (D) executioner
- They insisted that all expletives\_\_from the article.  
(A) delete (B) to delete (C) were deleted (D) be deleted

【答案與解析】

- (C)，open不及物動詞表示「開業」、「開幕」，從本句的next December可知，本題考未來式。
- (C)，in+世紀、年份、季節、月份。
- (D)，various表示「各種各樣的」，主要指彼此不同且種類繁多，強調“異”而“多”其後接的名詞通常用複數名詞。machinery指「機器總稱」，為不可數名詞。
- (A)，空格處應填入形容詞。executive形容詞表示「決策的，管理的」；execute動詞表示「（依法）處決，處死」 execution不可數名詞表示「（尤指有計劃的）實行，履行」 executioner可數名詞表示「劊子手；行刑者」。
- (D)，expletive 可數名詞表示「咒罵語；粗話」；insist表示「堅持」；本題考【意志動詞+ that主詞 + (should) + be +過去分詞】的句型：that子句裡的should 被省略。