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DEFINITIONS IN THIS EDITION:

SEVERANCE PAY - EXTRA PAY GIVEN TO EMPLOYEES WHO ARE DISMISSED THROUGH NO FAULT OF THEIR OWN, USUALLY BASED ON LENGTH OF TIME EMPLOYED

BONUS - ANYTHING GIVEN IN ADDITION TO THE CUSTOMARY OR REQUIRED AMOUNT; EXTRA PAYMENT OVER AND ABOVE SALARY GIVEN TO AN EMPLOYEE AS AN INCENTIVE OR REWARD.
SYN.- BONUS REFERS TO ANYTHING GIVEN OVER AND ABOVE THE REGULAR WAGES, SALARY, REMUNERATION, ETC: A BOUNTY IS A REWARD GIVEN BY A GOVERNMENT FOR A SPECIFIC UNDERTAKING CONSIDERED IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS THE PRODUCTION OF CERTAIN CROPS OR THE DESTRUCTION OF VERMIN

MANDATORY - (1) HAVING THE NATURE OF, OR CONTAINING A MANDATE
(2) AUTHORITATIVELY COMMANDED OR REQUIRED: OBLIGATORY
(3) HAVING RECEIVED A MANDATE OVER SOME TERRITORY

VOLUNTARY - (1) BROUGHT ABOUNT BY ONE'S FREE CHOICE; GIVEN OR DONE OF ONE'S OWN FREE WILL; FREELY CHOSEN OR UNDERTAKEN
(2) ACTING IN A SPECIFIED CAPACITY WILLINGLY OR OF ONE'S OWN ACCORD
(3) INTENTIONAL; NOT ACCIDENTAL
(4) CONTROLLED BY ONE'S MIND OR WILL
(5) HAVING FREE WILL OR THE POWER OF FREE CHOICE
(6) SUPPORTED BY CONTRIBUTIONS OR FREEWILL OFFERINGS: NOT SUPPORTED OR MAINTAINED BY THE STATE: DONE OR CARRIED ON BY OR MADE UP OF VOLUNTEERS RATHER THAN BY PEOPLE PAID OR CONSCRIPTED
(7) ARISING IN THE MIND WITHOUT EXTERNAL CONSTRAINT: SPONTANEOUS
(8) ACTING OR DONE WITHOUT COMPULSION OR PERSUASION: DONE WITHOUT PROFIT, PAYMENT, OR ANY VALUABLE CONSIDERATION

MANDATORY VOLUNTARY - NO DEFINITION FOUND IN THIS DICTIONARY