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TOPIC: THE PASSIVE VOICE: passive voice sentences in the simple past

**Fill in the blanks to change each active voice sentence into a passive voice sentence:**

EX: Henry Miller wrote that book. --> That book was written by Henry Miller.

1. The president gave John an award. --> John \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an award by the

president.

2. Everyone saw them. --> They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by everyone.

3. The police brought him here. --> He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ here by the police.

4. The firefighters saved the women. --> The women \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by the

firefighters.

5. All the students understood the explanation. --> The explanation \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

by all the students.

6. Mrs. Richardson filed two complaints. --> Two complaints \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by

Mrs. Richardson.

7. That man stole my wallet. --> My wallet \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by that man.

8. Everyone knew them. --> They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by everyone.

9. A snake bit him. --> He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by a snake.

10. Thomas and his brother built that house. --> That house \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by

Thomas and his brother.