

EXERCISE 9 B SOLUTIONS



Please fill the gaps using these words or phrases:

"Turn down, take on, a relief, nine-to-five job, check up on, deal with, to make matters worse, cut out for, hand in his notice, give the sack, be hopeless"

- 1. The car broke down on the deserted motorway, and <u>to make</u> <u>matters worse</u> it started raining heavily.
- She felt disappointed when they had to <u>turn her down</u> for the promotion, but she remained determined.
- As a customer service representative, she had to <u>deal with</u> various complaints and issues on a daily basis.
- Although he was talented, it became evident that he wasn't <u>cut</u>
 <u>out for</u> the high-pressure world of event planning.
- 5. My sister promised to <u>check up on</u> my apartment while I'm away on a business trip to make sure everything is secure.
- Realizing he needed a change, he decided to <u>hand in his</u>
 <u>notice</u> and pursue a passion project.
- 7. The manager had to <u>give the sack</u> to the employee who repeatedly violated company policies despite warnings.
- After years of working irregular hours in the entertainment industry, she looked for the stability of a traditional <u>five-to-nine job</u>.
- 9. The small startup decided to <u>take on</u> a few interns to inject fresh ideas and energy into the team.
- 10. Despite numerous attempts to teach him to swim, he seemed to _______ **be hopeless**_____ in the water.
- Finally completing the complex document was a tremendous
 <u>relief</u> for the stressed-out project manager.