

# Worksheet: Ex-Police Chief Claims Trump Knew About Epstein in 2006

## STEP 1: READING COMPREHENSION

### 1. Who is Bernard Kerik, according to the news lesson?

- (A) A businessman associated with Jeffrey Epstein. (B) A former police chief.  
(C) Donald Trump's legal representative. (D) A convicted sex offender.

### 2. When did Donald Trump allegedly tell Bernard Kerik about Epstein's behavior?

- (A) Recently, during legal proceedings. (B) In 2023.  
(C) In 2006. (D) After Epstein's conviction.

### 3. What does the 'revelation' in the text refer to?

- (A) The fact that Jeffrey Epstein was a businessman. (B) The ongoing public discussion about legal proceedings.  
(C) Kerik's statement that Trump knew about Epstein much earlier. (D) Trump's denial of knowing Epstein.

**STEP 2: GAP FILL EXERCISE****Word Bank:**

**inappropriate      claimed      proceedings      convicted      claim**

A former police chief named Bernard Kerik has \_\_\_\_\_ that in 2006, Donald Trump told him something important. According to Kerik, Trump said that 'everyone' knew about the \_\_\_\_\_ behaviour of Jeffrey Epstein. Jeffrey Epstein was a businessman who later became a \_\_\_\_\_ sex offender. This \_\_\_\_\_ suggests that many people, including Trump, might have been aware of Epstein's activities much earlier than generally believed. The ex-police chief made this statement during recent legal \_\_\_\_\_.

**STEP 3: WORD POWER (MATCHING)**

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| 1. claimed       | (a) declared guilty of a criminal offense by a court of law.          |
| 2. inappropriate | (b) a surprising and previously unknown fact that has been disclosed. |
| 3. convicted     | (c) not suitable or proper in a particular situation.                 |
| 4. revelation    | (d) stated something as a fact, often without proof.                  |

**STEP 4: DAILY LIFE USAGE**

Complete the sentences about daily life using words from the article.

1. My neighbour \_\_\_\_\_ he saw a rare bird in his garden, but I'm not sure if it's true.
2. It would be considered \_\_\_\_\_ to wear pyjamas to a job interview.
3. Are you \_\_\_\_\_ of the new schedule for our team meeting next week?

**STEP 5: CRITICAL THINKING**

The news lesson highlights a claim about past knowledge of wrongdoing. In your opinion, how important is it for people, especially public figures, to report potentially illegal or immoral activities they are 'aware' of, even if it happened a long time ago?

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**Answer Key (Teacher Use):**

1. Comprehension: 1:B, 2:C, 3:C
2. Cloze: claimed, inappropriate, convicted, claim, proceedings
3. Daily Life: 1:claimed, 2:inappropriate, 3:aware