Active And Passive Voice Exercise

Convert the following active sentences into passive sentences by supplying an appropriate passive verb form.

1. She will not recognize us. / We by her.

will not recognize

will not being recognized

will not be recognized

2. They didn't invite me, but I went anyway. / I but I went anyway.

wasn't invited

wasn't being invited

wasn't inviting

3. They broke up the table for firewood. / The table up for firewood.

broke

had broken

was broken

4. This book will change your life. / Your life by this book.

will be changing

will be changed

will have been changed

5. She has won the first prize. / First prize by her.

has won

has been won

had been won

6. A friend of mine is repairing the car. / The car by a friend of mine.

is repairing

is repaired

is being repaired

7. The immigration officer questioned us. / We by the immigration officer.

were questioning

were questioned

were being questioned

8. They speak English in Nagaland. / English in Nagaland.

is speaking

is spoken

is being spoken

9. His attitude shocked me. / Iby his attitude.

had shocked

had been shocked

was shocked

10. She had already sent the parcel. / The parcel by her.

has already been sent

had already been spent

was already spent

11. They will hire some people to do the job. / Some people to do the job.

will be hiring

will have hired

will be hired

12. Her silence worries me. / I her silence.

am worrying about

am worried about

have worried about

Answers

- 1. She will not recognize us. / We will not be recognized by her.
- 2. They didn't invite me, but I went anyway. / I wasn't invited but I went anyway.
- 3. They broke up the table for firewood. / The table was broken up for firewood.
- 4. This book will change your life. / Your life will be changed by this book.
- 5. She has won the first prize. / The first prize has been won by her.

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- 6. A friend of mine is repairing the car. / The car is being repaired by a friend of mine.
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