## redress

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- **1.** [rı'dres] *n* 
  - 1. исправление; восстановление
  - 2. преим. юр. возмещение, удовлетворение, сатисфакция
- 2. [rı'dres] V

## 1. исправлять; восстанавливать

to redress the balance - восстановить равновесие

to redress the balances - выверять весы

# 2. возмещать, компенсировать; юр. тж. возмещать ущерб

to redress a wrong - загладить обиду

- 3. *элк.* выпрямлять
- 4. ав. выравнивать (самолёт в полёте)

### II

['ri:'dres] v meamp.

давать (пьесу) в новых костюмах

### redress

re·dress [redress redresses redressed redressing] verb, noun verb BrE [rɪ'dres] \* ; NAmE [rɪ'dres] \* ~ sth (formal) to correct sth that is unfair or wrong

### Syn: put right

· to redress an injustice

#### Verb forms: verb form

verb forms	
present simple	
1 / you / we /they	redress
	BrE /r1 dres/
	NAmE /rɪˈdres/
he / she /it	redresses
	BrE /r1 'dreszz/
	NAmE /r1 drestz/
past simple, past participle	redressed
	BrE /r1 'drest/
	NAmE /rɪˈdrest/
-ing form	redressing
	BrE /r1 dresm/
	NAME /r1 dresin/

### Word Origin:

Middle English: the verb from Old French redresser; the noun via Anglo-Norman French redresse.

### Example Bank:

- Attempts were made to redress some of the injustices of the previous regime.
- For years poorer children have had to put up with a lower quality education, and now is the time to redress the balance.
- The king did little to redress the grievances of the people.

## Idiom: *fredress* the balance

# noun BrE [rɪ'dres] \* ; NAmE [rɪ'dres] \* BrE ['ri dreş \* ; NAmE ['ri dreş \* uncountable ~ (for/against sth) (formal) payment, etc. that you should get for sth wrong that has happened to you or harm that you have suffered

# Syn: <sup>†</sup>compensation

- to seek legal redress for unfair dismissal
- to have little prospect of redress

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## Example Bank:

- Angry consumers have little hope of redress against the company.
- Three ex-employees are planning to seek legal redress for unfair dismissal.

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# I. re dress<sup>1</sup> /rɪ'dres/ BrE AmE verb [transitive] formal

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: redrecier, from drecier 'to make straight']

# to correct something that is wrong or unfair:

- Little could be done to redress the situation.
- Affirmative action was meant to redress the balance (=make the situation fair) for minorities.

# II. re dress<sup>2</sup> /rɪ'dres \$ 'ri dres BrE AmE noun [uncountable] formal

# money that someone pays you because they have caused you harm or damaged your property SYN compensation :

The only hope of redress is in a lawsuit.

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