

commission**1. [kə'mɪʃ(ə)n] n****1. 1) доверенность, полномочие**

to hold a commission from the government - иметь правительственные полномочия

to act within one's commission - действовать в пределах полномочий /согласно полномочиям/

to go beyond one's commission - превысить полномочия

in commission - имеющий полномочия, уполномоченный

2) поручение

to carry out a commission successfully - успешно выполнить поручение

3) заказ (особ. художнику)

the commission for the new theatre was given to a well-known architect - проект нового театра был заказан известному архитектору

2. 1) ком. поручение**2) комиссионное вознаграждение, комиссионные**

bank commission - комиссионные банку

buying [selling] commission - комиссионное вознаграждение за закупку [за продажу]

commission sale - комиссионная продажа

to charge 5% commission - взимать 5% комиссионных

3. комиссия, комитет

commission of conciliation - согласительная комиссия

commission of inquiry - комиссия по расследованию, следственная комиссия

permanent commission - постоянная комиссия, постоянный комитет

to appoint /to establish, to constitute/ a commission under Mr. Smith - создать /назначить/ комиссию под председательством г-на Смита

to sit on the government commission - заседать в правительственной комиссии

4. 1) офицерское звание

to resign a commission - выйти в отставку

2) присвоение офицерского звания**3) документ, патент офицера****5. патент, выдаваемый мировому судье при назначении его на должность****6. совершение (какого-л.) проступка**

commission of murder - совершение убийства

◇ in commission - в исправности

to put one's car in commission - отремонтировать свой автомобиль

a ship in commission - судно, готовое к плаванию

to come into commission - вступить в строй (о судне)

out of commission - в неисправности

our TV set is out of commission - наш телевизор вышел из строя /сломался/

2. [kə'mɪʃ(ə)n] v**1. уполномочивать; поручать****2. 1) назначать на должность****2) присвоить офицерское звание**

he was commissioned a general in 1939 - он был произведён в генералы в 1939 году

3. заказывать

to commission an artist to paint a picture - заказать художнику картину

4. мор.**1) подготавливать (корабль) к плаванию****2) укомплектовывать (корабль) личным составом****3) передавать (корабль) под (чьё-л.) командование****commission**

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com-mis-sion AW [commission commissions] noun, verb BrE [kə'mɪʃn]

NAme [kə'mɪʃn]

noun

OFFICIAL GROUP**1. (often Commission) countable** an official group of people who have been given responsibility to control sth, or to find out about sth, usually for the government

• the European Commission

• (BrE) The government has set up a **commission of inquiry** into the disturbances at the prison.

• a commission on human rights

MONEY**2. uncountable, countable** an amount of money that is paid to sb for selling goods and which increases with the amount of goods that are sold

• You get a 10% commission on everything you sell.

• He earned £2 000 in commission last month.

• In this job you work **on commission** (= are paid according to the amount you sell) .**3. uncountable** an amount of money that is charged by a bank, etc. for providing a particular service

- 1% commission is charged for cashing traveller's cheques.

FOR ART/MUSIC, ETC.

- 4. countable** a formal request to sb to design or make a piece of work such as a building or a painting
 - a commission to design the new parliament building

IN ARMED FORCES

- 5. countable** an officer's position in the armed forces
 - He resigned his commission when he got married.

OF CRIME

- 6. uncountable (formal)** the act of doing sth wrong or illegal
 - the commission of a crime

Word Origin:

Middle English: via Old French from Latin **commissio(n-)**, from **committere** 'entrust' (in medieval Latin 'put into custody'), from **com-** 'with' + **mittere** 'put or send'.

Example Bank:

- I have received a private commission to paint the prince's family.
- Most of the salespeople are on commission.
- She earned \$2 000 in commission last month.
- That bank charges a high commission for cashing traveller's cheques.
- The firm will accept commissions for most types of architectural work.
- The government has set up a joint commission to consider the problem.
- They get a 10% commission on every encyclopedia they sell.
- a commission on domestic violence
- the commission for racial equality
- to work on a commission basis
- He was appointed to head a commission of enquiry into the recent riots.
- In this job you work on commission.
- One per cent commission is charged for cashing traveller's cheques.
- She would not accept the commission, saying it did not pay enough.
- She's a member of the IOC medical commission.
- Sweden's Environment Commission has ruled against the dam project.
- The commission is expected to report its findings next month.
- The government set up a fact-finding commission to investigate the circumstances surrounding the accident.
- The work will be done by commission.
- This is the first meeting of an intergovernmental commission on economic cooperation between the two countries.
- Who won the commission to design the new town hall?
- You get a 10% commission on everything you sell.
- the Atomic Energy Commission

Idiom: ↑ **in of commission**

verb

PIECE OF ART/MUSIC, ETC.

- 1. to officially ask sb to write, make or create sth or to do a task for you**
 - ~ **sb to do sth** She has been commissioned to write a new national anthem.
 - ~ **sth** Publishers have commissioned a French translation of the book.
 - The survey on consumer taste was commissioned by local stores.

IN ARMED FORCES

- 2. usually passive** to choose sb as an officer in one of the armed forces
 - ~ **sb** She was commissioned in 2007.
 - ~ **sb (as) sth** He has just been commissioned (as a) pilot officer.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	commission
	BrE /kə'mɪʃn/
	NAme /kə'mɪʃn/
he / she / it	commissions
	BrE /kə'mɪʃnz/
	NAme /kə'mɪʃnz/
past simple, past participle	commissioned
	BrE /kə'mɪʃnd/
	NAme /kə'mɪʃnd/
-ing form	commissioning
	BrE /kə'mɪʃnɪŋ/
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I. **com** **mis** **ision**¹ **S3 W2** /kə'mɪʃən/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun*

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: Latin *commissio*, from *commissus*, past participle of *committere*; ⇒ ↑**commit**]

1. **[countable]** a group of people who have been given the official job of finding out about something or controlling something:

The Government set up a commission to investigate allegations of police violence.

commission on

the Royal Commission on Environmental Pollution

2. **[uncountable and countable]** an extra amount of money that is paid to a person or organization according to the value of the goods they have sold or the services they have provided:

The dealer takes a 20% commission on the sales he makes.

on commission

He sold cosmetics on commission.

3. **[countable]** a request for an artist, designer, or musician to make a piece of art or music, for which they are paid:

a commission from the Academy for a new sculpture

4. **[countable]** the position of an officer in the army, navy etc

5. **[uncountable]** *formal* the commission of a crime is the act of doing it ⇒ **commit**

6. **out of commission**

a) not working or not available for use:

One of the ship's anchors was out of commission.

b) *informal* ill or injured, and unable to work

7. **in commission** available to be used:

The operating theatres will be back in commission next week.

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COLLOCATIONS

■ verbs

- **set up/establish/create a commission** They set up a commission to investigate the problem of youth crime.
- **appoint a commission** (=choose the members of a commission) The President appointed a commission to develop standards in schools.
- **head a commission** (=be in charge of one) He was elected to head a commission on tax reform.
- **a commission recommends something** The commission recommended that the federal government change the way it measures inflation.
- **a commission approves something** The commission approved the plan.

■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + commission

- **a special commission** A special commission was set up to investigate the killings.
- **an independent commission** The plan requires approval by an independent commission.
- **an international commission** an international commission on climate change
- **a parliamentary commission** A report was made by a special parliamentary commission.
- **a government commission** A government commission regulates the process.
- **a national/federal commission** the National Commission on Terrorism
- **a presidential commission** the Presidential Commission on Health Care
- **a joint commission** (=involving two or more countries or groups) a new India-Sri Lanka joint commission
- **an investigative/investigating commission** An investigative commission was set up immediately after the incident.

II. **commission**² **AC** *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *verb*

1. **[transitive]** to formally ask someone to write an official report, produce a work of art for you etc:

The report was commissioned by the Welsh Office.

commission somebody to do something

Macmillan commissioned her to illustrate a book by Spike Milligan.

2. **be commissioned (into something)** to be given an officer's rank in the army, navy etc:

I was commissioned into the RAF.

commission

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