#### amendment [ə'mendmənt] n

1. 1) улучшение, исправление; работа по улучшению (чего-л.); устранение недостатков

2) (внесённое) исправление; (сделанная) поправка

amendment list - список исправлений (вносимых в документ, чертёж и т. п.)

#### 2. 1) поправка, дополнение (к резолюции, законопроекту):

to move /to propose/ an amendment to the Bill [to the resolution, to the text] - внести поправку в законопроект [в резолюцию, в текст]

to make [to insert, to reject] an amendment - сделать [внести, отклониты] поправку

to second an amendment - выступить в защиту поправки, поддержать предложение о поправке

the 18th Amendment - восемнадцатая поправка (к конституции США)

2) юр. поправка, исправление (ошибок в ходе процесса, состязательных бумаг и т. п.)

3. улучшение (в течении болезни)

4. c.-x.

1) улучшение (почвы); мелиорация

2) почвоулучшатель, мелиорант

#### amendment

amend-ment AW [amendment amendments] BrE [ə'mendmənt] NAmE [ə'mendmənt] noun

1. countable, uncountable a small change or improvement that is made to a law or a document; the process of changing a law or a document

• to introduce/propose/table an amendment (= to suggest it)

- Parliament passed the bill without further amendment.
- ~ to sth She made several minor amendments to her essay.
- 2. Amendment countable a statement of a change to the Constitution of the US
- The 19th Amendment gave women the right to vote.

#### Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'improvement, correction'): from Old French amendement, from amender, based on Latin emendare, from e- (variant of ex-) 'out of' + menda 'a fault'.

#### Culture:

In the US the first ten amendments to the Constitution are called the Bill of Rights. Each amendment to the US Constitution needs a two-thirds majority in each House and must be approved by 75% of the states.

#### Example Bank:

- He is simply exercising his First-Amendment rights.
- · He moved an amendment limiting capital punishment to certain very serious crimes.
- In total 217 MPs backed the rebel amendment opposing the government
- On a free vote, the amendment was carried by 292 votes to 246.
- Parliament accepted the amendment and the bill was passed.
- She withdrew her amendment and left the meeting.
- The Senate added numerous amendments to the bill.
- The amendment passed in 2001.
- The committee does not adequately consult others when drafting amendments.
- The new clause was accepted without amendment.
- The programme is subject to amendment.
- They have proposed an amendment to the federal constitution.
- a call to repeal the 22nd amendment to the Constitution
- a constitutional amendment banning same-sex marriage
- an amendment to the Clean Water Act

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## a mend ment AC /ə'mendmənt/ BrE AmE noun

[Word Family: verb <sup>†</sup>amend; noun: <sup>†</sup>amendment]

[uncountable and countable] a small change, improvement, or addition that is made to a law or document, or the process of doing this:

constitutional amendments

amendment to

an amendment to the resolution

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