

abolish

[ə'bɒlɪʃ] *v*

1. отменять, упразднять; положить конец (чему-л.)
to abolish slavery - уничтожить рабство
to abolish taxes - отменить/упразднить/ налоги
2. уничтожать, разрушать

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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abol-ish [abolish abolishes abolished abolishing] *BrE* [ə'bɒlɪʃ] *AmE*

[ə'baʊlɪʃ] *v* **verb ~ sth**

to officially end a law, a system or an institution

- This tax should be abolished.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	abolish
	BrE /ə' bɒlɪʃ/
	NAme /ə' bɑ: lɪʃ/
he / she / it	abolishes
	BrE /ə' bɒlɪʃɪz/
	NAme /ə' bɑ: lɪʃɪz/
past simple, past participle	abolished
	BrE /ə' bɒlɪʃt/
	NAme /ə' bɑ: lɪʃt/
-ing form	abolishing
	BrE /ə' bɒlɪʃɪŋ/
	NAme /ə' bɑ: lɪʃɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Old French **aboliss-**, lengthened stem of **abolir**, from Latin **abolere** 'destroy'.

Example Bank:

- Some MPs want to abolish the tax altogether.
- Some say the tax should be abolished entirely.
- The new immigration act effectively abolishes quotas on immigrants.
- Over the past six years we have abolished a whole range of direct taxes.
- Slavery was abolished in the US in 1865.
- They outlined the arguments for abolishing the monarchy.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Old French; Origin: abolir, from Latin abolere, probably from abolescere 'to disappear']

to officially end a law, system etc, especially one that has existed for a long time:

Slavery was abolished in the US in the 19th century.

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