## Passive Voice Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate passive voice form.

1. They arrested him for murder. / He ................. for murder.

   - has arrested
   - was arrested
   - was arresting

2. They elected him the chairman. / He .................. the chairman.

   - elected
   - is elected
   - was elected

3. I admire his honesty. / His honesty ....................... by me.
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<table>
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<tr>
<th>is admired</th>
<th>is being admired</th>
<th>is admiring</th>
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4. She runs a charitable institution. / A charitable institution ................................ by her.

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<th>is run</th>
<th>has run</th>
<th>is running</th>
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5. I finished the job in an hour. / The job .............................. in an hour.

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<th>Verbs</th>
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<td>had finished</td>
<td>...</td>
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<tr>
<td>is prepared</td>
<td>She is preparing the draft. / The draft <strong>is prepared</strong> by her.</td>
<td>I was stitching the blouse. / The blouse <strong>was stitched</strong> by me.</td>
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<td>is being prepared</td>
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8. They are digging a pit. / A pit ................................ by them.

- is dug
- is being dug
- was being dug

9. He has donated all his wealth. / All his wealth .......................... by him.

- is donated
- has been donated
- had been donated

10. We will not tolerate this. / This ..................................... by us.

- will not tolerate
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will not be tolerated

would not be tolerated

11. The cops chased the thief. / The thief ................................ by the cops.

is chased

was chased

was being chased

12. I have learnt my lesson. / My lesson ................................. by me.

has been learnt

have been learnt

had been learnt
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Answers

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She runs a charitable institution. / A charitable institution is run by her.
I finished the job in an hour. / The job was finished in an hour.
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They are digging a pit. / A pit is being dug by them.
He has donated all his wealth. / All his wealth has been donated by him.
We will not tolerate this. / This will not be tolerated by us.
The cops chased the thief. / The thief was chased by the cops.
I have learnt my lesson. / My lesson has been learnt by me.