

edict[ˈiːdɪkt] *n*

1. 1) эдикт; указ

to issue an edict - издать эдикт /указ/

to invoke an edict - сослаться на какой-л. эдикт /указ/

2) (непреложный) закон

edicts of nature - законы природы

2. (строгий) приказ; приказание, распоряжение

we held firm to Grandmother's edict - мы неукоснительно выполняли всё, что требовала бабушка

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

edict [edict edicts] *BrE* [ˈiːdɪkt] *NAmE* [ˈiːdɪkt] **noun uncountable, countable**

(formal)

an official order or statement given by sb in authority

Syn: ↑decree

• The festival was banned by royal edict.

Word Origin:Middle English: from Latin **edictum** ‘something proclaimed’, neuter past participle of **edicere**, from **e-** (variant of **ex-**) ‘out’ + **dicere** ‘say, tell’.**edict**

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edict /ˈiːdɪkt/ *BrE* *AmE* **noun [countable] formal**[**Date:** 1400-1500; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** edictum, from the past participle of **edicere** ‘to give out an official statement’]1. an official public order made by someone in a position of power **SYN** **decree** :

The emperor issued an edict forbidding anyone to leave the city.

2. any order – used humorously

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