so-called [,sav'koild] a

1) так называемый, именуемый

2) с позволения сказать, якобы

deceived by his so-called friend - обманутый своим так называемым другом

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NAmE so-'called AW [so-called] BrE adjective

- 1. only before noun used to show that you do not think that the word or phrase that is being used to describe sb/sth is appropriate
- · the opinion of a so-called 'expert'
- · How have these so-called improvements helped the local community?
- 2. usually before noun used to introduce the word that people usually use to describe sth
- · artists from the so-called 'School of London'

Example Bank:

The court heard the opinion of a so-called 'expert'.

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'so-called W3 BrE AmE ^{*} adjective [only before noun]

- 1. used to describe someone or something that has been given a name that you think is wrong: The so-called experts couldn't tell us what was wrong. 2. used to show that something or someone is usually called a particular name:
- the health threats posed by so-called 'mad cow disease'

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