# intrusive

[ın'tru:sıv] a

- 1. вторгающийся, незваный
- 2. назойливый, навязчивый, докучливый
- 3. геол. интрузивный, плутонический
- 4. вдающийся (о бухте, заливе и т. п.)

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## in·tru·sive [intrusive] BrE [ɪn'trus]v NAmE [ɪn'trus]v adjective

1. too noticeable, direct, etc. in a way that is disturbing or annoying

- intrusive questions
- The constant presence of the media was very intrusive.
- 2. (phonetics) (of a speech sound) produced in order to link two words together when speaking, for example the /[r] / sound produced
- at the end of law by some English speakers in the phrase 'law and order'. Intrusive 'r' is not considered part of standard English.

#### Example Bank:

- Planning permission was refused on the grounds that the proposed building would be 'visually intrusive'.
- The proposed building would be visually intrusive.
- I don't like their intrusive sales methods.
- I'vehad enough of your intrusive questions.
- · Some of the islanders found the presence of the film crew too intrusive.

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affecting someone's private life or interrupting them in an unwanted and annoying way:

They found the television cameras too intrusive.

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