

Convert each sentence from active to passive or from passive to active, leave as is, or make another change to make each sentence convey a more precise meaning. Justify your decision.

1. A “Mozzie” boomerang was thrown 50 meters by expert boomerang maker Adam Carroll.

2. The German Enigma cipher, which prevented the allies from reading Nazi communications during World War II, was broken by British mathematician Alan Turing.

3. A specific case of the Bayes’s theorem, which was a significant development in predictive statistics, was formulated by Thomas Bayes, a somewhat obscure Presbyterian minister and mathematician.

4. The famous mathematics book Elements, which was one of the most important primary textbooks in the field until the 19th century, was written by Euclid of Alexandria.

5. Involvement in the “deflategate” football scandal has been denied by New England Patriot quarterback Tom Brady.

6. Three home runs were hit by Washington Nationals outfielder Bryce Harper on May 6, 2015.

7. The Washington Nationals drafted Bryce Harper in the first round of the 2010 amateur draft when he was only 18 years old.

8. The Indonesian Football Association (PSSI) scheduled the Indonesian Super League (ISL) to begin play in late February of 2015.

9. The necessary paperwork and payments for eligibility to play in the Indonesian Super League had been submitted by only thirteen teams.

10. Leonardo da Vinci painted the Mona Lisa, one of the most famous paintings of the Italian Renaissance that is displayed at the Louvre in Paris.

11. The Mona Lisa was painted by Leonardo da Vinci, probably the most influential artist of the Italian Renaissance.

12. The commission on automotive excellence named automobile pioneer Henry Ford as the most influential car maker of the 20th century.

13. Bryce Harper of the Washington Nationals was named the National League player of the week by the Baseball Writers Association.

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15. The United States Senate confirmed Loretta Lynch as United States Attorney General on April 23, 2015.
