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<광고>



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- 우리말 하나에 두 개 이상의 영어 표현을 익힌다 (paraphrasing)

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summary

President Park Geun-Hye has recently been **under fire** for a **scandal** over allegations that **a former aide has been involved in decisions** reserved for the **executive branch of government**. In **press leaks of documents** from the Blue House, former adviser Chung Yoon-Hoi is accused of using personal ties with key aides to **meddle in state affairs**, and is further suspected of competition in such matters with the president's brother, Park Ji-Man.

The scandal has **pushed President Park into a corner** as she is forced to defend against the accusations, while her plans for economic reform **are sent to the back burner** until investigations of the persons involved are resolved. She and Chung have both **denied the allegations**, while the opposition party has criticized the president for her defense of Chung.

As the investigations proceed, prosecutors will be expected to **leave no stone unturned** in their search for the truth. **However the issue develops**, it is sure to be a headache for the president, who will have many more questions to answer.

Keywords

1. 국정개입 interfere with state affairs; butt into state affairs; dip one's hands into state affairs; dip one's hands into a cookie jar
2. 특종 exclusive coverage; scoop
3. 사찰하다 monitor; watch; investigate; (명사로) surveillance
4. 짜라시 a report written behind the scenes compiling the rumors from politics, business and entertainment industry
5. 문고리 권력 a power to control one's access to a person in a higher position; doorknob authority; doorknob power
6. 명예훼손으로 고소하다 sue someone for defamation of character; sue someone for libel (출판에 의한 명예훼손의 경우)
7. 임기 2년차이다 it's been two years into her presidency
8. 갈등이 불거지다 we're seeing a signs of a struggle for power; power struggle has surfaced; power struggle has been disclosed
9. 레임덕의 시초 beginning of a lame duck situation; it turns her presidency into a lame duck; her presidency / influence / popularity falls into a decline; her presidency starts to decline
10. 정치적 파장이 크다 this will have huge repercussions; this will cause a ripple effect

More Keywords

1. 비난을 받다 be under fire
2. 행정부 executive branch
3. 언론에 노출된 문서에 in press leaks of documents
4. 대통령이 코너에 몰리다 The President has been pushed into a corner.
5. 보류하다 ~is sent to the back burner; ~is put on the back burner
6. 혐의나 의혹을 부인하다 deny allegations

7. 모든 수단을 강구하다, 최선의 노력을 다하다 leave no stone unturned
8. 이번 일이 어떻게 진행되든 however the issue develops